

BAN JOHNSON, BALL PIONEER, DIES

WILL SUBMIT TRADE PACT TO LEAGUE

STORY OF "VISION" PUTS BIZARRE VIEW ON BROTHERS TRIAL

Policeman Chased Phantom He Says On Witness Stand

CHICAGO, March 28.—The trial of Leo V. Brothers for the gangland murder of Alfred Lingie, Chicago Tribune reporter, today stood adjourned for the week-end as defense attorneys completed their plans for the approaching climax of the legal battle.

A policeman who previously had identified another man as the fleeing killer of the reporter injected a bizarre angle into the trial when he blandly testified yesterday that the murderer of Lingie was a "vision" instead of man of flesh and blood.

This unexpected turn brought a smile to the defendant's lips and brought the prediction from Brothers' attorneys that an acquittal was assured.

Adjournment was taken to enable defense attorneys to question several persons, one of them in St. Louis, who claims to have knowledge of probable witnesses in the trial.

The defense probably will begin presentation of its case by Tuesday, after the prosecution has called two more witnesses and two physicians who treated Policeman Anthony Ruthy for the cause of his "illusions."

Several witnesses have been called by the prosecution, and all of them, in varying degrees, have identified Brothers as the man who fled from the Randolph street pedestrian tunnel a moment after Lingie was shot down.

The reporter was slain, investigation has disclosed; because he had become an obstacle to the north side Alamo-Zuta-Moran gang that decreed his death. Lingie's activities had brought him the title of "unofficial police chief" of Chicago, the man to be "seen" when favors were wanted.

Although Ruthy left his post near the subway last June 9 and vainly pursued the assassin until he was lost in an alleyway he declared from the stand yesterday that he had chased a phantom, a figment of his imagination.

Ruthy suffered a skull fracture seven years ago and since then he has suffered from hallucinations, he explained. But Ruthy admitted that he is still on the police force and lately has been assigned to the state's attorney's office.

Last July at a court hearing following the return of Frank Foster, gangster of varying alliances, from California, Policeman Ruthy took the stand and positively identified him as the man he chased following the murder.

INDIANA DROPS 16 STUDENTS

Close Three Frats In Liquor Probe

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., March 28.—Sixteen University of Indiana students have been expelled and three campus organizations have been penalized following a week of investigations into liquor parties, it was announced today by Dean of Men C. E. Edmonson, head of the faculty committee on student affairs.

University authorities withheld the names of the students and fraternities involved. Although he refused to state the extent of the penalties imposed on the three fraternities, Dr. Edmonson stated that the doors of none of them will be closed.

The week's investigation centered on campus dances and other functions where liquor was reported to have been in evidence.

FLAG ASSOCIATION DRAWS CRITICISM

WASHINGTON, March 28.—The reported intention of the United States Flag Association to send the sixty-three winners of its flag essay contest to Europe in a foreign vessel was the object of vigorous criticism here today at the hands of W. Irving Glover, assistant postmaster general.

Glover conceded the postoffice department could take no action in the matter, but pointed out the expressed motives of the organization contest, as he saw them, would be defeated should the children travel in a foreign ship.

"It is only right that a group of children, who have won a trip to Europe holding up the American flag to praise, should travel to Europe in an American ship flying that flag," he said.

FORBIDS DEMONSTRATIONS

BERLIN, March 28.—President Hindenburg signed an emergency decree today forbidding anti-eastern demonstrations announced by Communists.

CELEBRATE WINNING OF \$886,360



Clayton C. Woods, of Buffalo, N. Y., holder of the winning ticket on Gregalach in the Irish Sweepstakes, and Mrs. Woods, below, reading of his good fortune on news ticker, and other members of his family who shared in the \$886,360 winnings are "too excited to know what it's all about."

England Amused By Wild Elation of Fortunate; Makes Dreams Come True

Italian Splits Forty Years' Reward For Ticket Seller

LONDON, March 28.—England smiled with the winners of the Grand National Steeplechase today who won fortunes when the British horse Grakle and others romped home with the colors at Aintree yesterday in the ninety-second running of the annual event.

London particularly found enjoyment and even excitement in observing the exhilaration of Emilio Scala, Italian coffee shop proprietor here who shared his race prize of \$1,900,000 with forty relatives and a syndicate who bought part of his ticket previous to the event.

Clayton C. Woods of Buffalo, N. Y., whose ticket as second place winner drew him \$886,360 amused London by transatlantic telephone in recounting his elation over his good fortune and how he got "canned" by the foreman of an automobile factory when it became known earlier this week that he held a ticket on one of the competing horses.

He asked newspapers here when he would get paid, and was informed no prize money would be available until April 7.

George Dymond, hotel proprietor of Capetown, South Africa, who held third place ticket and is entitled to \$590,903, announced he would travel extensively.

Mounted police were called out to control an excited crowd outside of Scala's modest cafe. He was ordered to remain indoors to avoid further confusion. His main ambition, after completing the laborious mathematical task of dividing the prize money among forty relatives who contributed from six to eight cents each for the ticket, is to return to sunny Italy and live in style in his childhood locality.

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 28.—The mysterious stranger who sold a winning ticket for one of the major prizes in the Irish National Sweepstakes on the Grand National Steeplechase, Liverpool, is to share in the winnings. Clayton C. Woods of Buffalo, who bought the ticket on Gregalach and won \$886,360 when the horse finished second, said he would give the stranger \$10,000, according to announcement today.

Woods and four relatives, who shared in the ticket with him, still insisted today they did not know the identity of the stranger but revealed that an arrangement had been made to award him.

POLITICAL BATTLE BLAMED WHEN FOUR OFFICIALS RESIGN

Deputy Resents Move Against His Running For Sheriff

BUCYRUS, O., March 28.—A political upheaval gripped Bucyrus and Crawford County today following the break-down of the county's law enforcement personnel with the resignation of two sheriff's deputies, a jailer and the jail matron because of what was said to be a wrangle over candidacies for the next election.

Claiming that he had received a letter from Sheriff Fred Vollmer asking that he not become a candidate for sheriff at the next election and that he use his party influence to keep anyone else from entering the race for the Republican nomination, Deputy Sheriff Arthur Stuckert, tendered his resignation yesterday.

Immediately following Stuckert's action, Deputy Sheriff Otto Steiger handed in his resignation, stating that he "did not care to remain in office if the old gang is going to break up." Jailer D. G. Robertson and Mrs. Stuckert, likewise, resigned in sympathy.

Stuckert was in line for the sheriff appointment following the slaying of Sheriff George Davenport during a raid for chicken thieves recently, but the county commissioners appointed Vollmer over his head.

PLAN BROADCAST ON LEGISLATION

COLUMBUS, O., March 28.—With a special crowd installed in the statehouse, officials of WBAO, Ohio State University radio station, today were prepared to begin next week a daily program of talks on current legislation by members of the senate and the house of representatives.

J. Preer Bittinger of Ashland, Democratic leader in the house, will give the first address at 1 p. m. Tuesday. The state department of education will cooperate in making arrangements for broadcasts.

GERMANY AGREES TO BRITISH PROPOSAL ON CUSTOMS TREATY

Czechs And Yugoslavia Retaliate With Separate Pact

BERLIN, March 28.—Accepting the proposal of Foreign Secretary Arthur Henderson of Great Britain, Germany agreed today to submit the proposed customs union treaty with Austria to the juridical consideration of the League of Nations council, it was learned here on the highest authority.

According to the most reliable information, the German government reversed its previous adamant stand against such a step when "misunderstandings" in regards to the British proposal were cleared after a new conference between England's representative and Wilhelmstrasse.

Diplomatic circles here declared that Henderson never proposed a political scrutiny of the pact by the international body, but that such an impression had been erroneously gained by the entire British press.

It was felt here that the league council, if confronted with the issue at its May meeting, would probably refer it to the Hague tribunal. But whether the pact will be submitted to the league depends on the opinion of French and British legal experts.

Governments opposing the projected customs union have argued that it infringes on the Geneva protocol of 1922, concluded by Austria with France, Italy and Czechoslovakia. To save Austria from extinction, the three powers guaranteed an international loan for her, on condition that she would never surrender her sovereignty.

The three powers challenged Austria on this point, insisting that the trade agreement violated the announcement of the proposed accord, which would eliminate a tariff barrier between Austria and Germany. Henderson and Aristide Briand of France held lengthy conferences. A few hours later the Vienna ambassadors at Berlin and Brussels suggested that the two governments submit their economic understanding to the May meeting of the League of Nations council before taking further action on it.

Both Austrian and German government officials rejected the proposal unequivocally. The Austrian government softening its refusal by stating it did not desire to create the impression of "a fait accompli."

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia, March 28.—Retaliating with a direct blow against the proposed Austro-German customs union, the governments of Czechoslovakia and Yugoslavia today announced consummation.

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GANDHI PROGRAM IS TRIUMPHANT; WILL HEAD LONDON PARTY

Victor In Congress Over His Political Opponents

BOMBAY, March 28.—Mahatma M. K. Gandhi, whose policy of eventual independence for India through conciliation and cooperation with Britain withstood the bitter attacks of extremists in the past few days, was again the dominant leader of India today.

Victor in Congress over his political opponents, Gandhi, signifying a complete victory and defeat of opposing political factions. It was practically certain that he would proceed to London backed by Nationalists as well as the Indian millions.

Advices from Cawnpore in the United Provinces, meanwhile, indicated the race disorders between Moslems and Hindus have not yet ended. It was estimated 124 persons have been killed since the riots broke out several days ago.

Murder was reported rampant, with 10,000 inhabitants in flight. Marauders looted the city despite troops and police posted everywhere.

As a precautionary measure, 150 "bad characters" were placed under arrest.

Literary World Mourn's Death Of Arnold Bennett



ARNOLD BENNETT

PRESIDENT ENJOYS SHAM NAVAL BATTLE ON HOMEWARD TRIP

Ship Is Theoretically "Sunk" While Crew Seeks Hoover

ABOARD U. S. S. ARIZONA, Enroute to Hampton Roads, March 28.—President Hoover had first hand information today on the highly controversial problem of the future naval value of heavy sea fighters, after watching two modern steel giants engage in a theoretical death struggle.

Plowing northward through heavy seas on the homeward voyage from the West Indies, the battleship Arizona was suddenly set upon by the Dupont, an escorting destroyer. The intricate devices of the dreadnaught quickly ascertained the position of the attacker, however, and searchlights spotted the target in a few moments. The heavy guns of the Arizona "sank" the enemy craft without much trouble.

The Dupont was then ordered to represent another type of heavy fighting craft and launch a surprise attack from a new angle. This time President Hoover inadvertently caused the United States navy the "loss" of the Arizona. In the rush to get ready for the attack, President Hoover somehow disappeared. Officers and men busied themselves in a search for him.

At length, it was discovered he had been locked below deck under battened hatches. While the involuntary prisoner was being released and hurriedly brought on deck to observe the action, the Dupont slipped under the Arizona and in two broadsides sent her to the bottom of the sea.

However, the chief executive had plenty of opportunity to acquaint himself with the problems of mobility and strategy in connection with battleships.

It was learned shortly after the manoeuvres that a falling gun-shutter crushed the ankle of Marine Private G. C. Carpenter, Charleston, W. Va. He was taken to the sick bay.

Although stiff trade winds and great waves caused the steel warrior to bob like a cork, the President ate a hearty breakfast and composedly read the latest news offered by the ship's bulletin sheet.

The Arizona will reach Hampton Roads at 3 p. m. tomorrow. The presidential party will leave for Washington immediately, terminating a twelve-day vacation cruise to Porto Rico and the Virgin Islands.

ACCUSED GROCER IS GRANTED NEW TRIAL

PORTSMOUTH, O., March 28.—Granted a new trial by Common Pleas Judge Russell McCurdy, Arthur Worthen, Lancaster grocer, today began making plans for a new defense against charges of manslaughter in the death of his wife, of which he was recently convicted.

Mrs. Worthen was shot to death last Thanksgiving night while seated in an automobile with her husband. Worthen maintained that she shot herself after efforts at reconciliation, following their separation, had failed.

CHILD MISSING

COLUMBUS, O., March 28.—Police today believed ten-year-old Roger Montgomery was trying to find his way back to a children's home at Worthington, near here, from where he was adopted four years ago. The boy's foster parents said they sent him to a drug store on an errand and that he did not return to their home.

BASEBALL LOSES TWO LEADERS

TWO of the most important figures in baseball, Ban Johnson, organizer and for many years president of the American League and his successor, E. S. Barnard, died within a few hours of each other. Barnard passed away suddenly at Rochester, Minn., and Johnson died in St. Louis after a lingering illness.



BAN JOHNSON



E. S. BARNARD

OHIO FEELING NEW BLIZZARD

COLUMBUS, March 28.—Ohio today saw and felt the benumbing effects of the late March blizzard that swept down out of the Rocky Mountains and left behind a blanket of snow over many sections of the upper central states.

Rain that visited Ohio early today, accompanied by a sharp wind, was expected to change to snow before Saturday night, weather bureau officials here said.

A cold and windy Sunday was anticipated. Weather officials believed that the wind whipping across the state changing today's rain into snow would push the temperature down late Saturday night and early Sunday morning.

PRINCE IMPROVES

BUCHAREST, March 28.—Crown Prince Michael of Roumania, seriously ill with grip, was reported considerably improved today. A court bulletin issued by attending physicians stated:

"Michael's condition has improved. The fever has abated; and complications are not anticipated."

HOW MANY MILES TO GALLON?

Fairfield Officer Gives "Specifications" Of New Arrival At Air Depot

WASHINGTON, March 28.—The newest wrinkle in army air corps birth announcements, as propounded by Major A. L. Sneed of the Fairfield, Ohio airport, has engendered smiles galore in air corps headquarters here.

Sneed's idea found especial attention, especially since he is a bachelor.

He set forth the arrival of a baby in the family of a corps member as if were newly received aviation equipment. Specifications were given as follows by Sneed, reporting to headquarters:

FORMER PRESIDENT OF LEAGUE FOLLOWS SUCCESSOR'S DEATH

Organizer Of Junior Loop Dies After E. S. Barnard

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 28.—Ban Johnson, former president of the American League, died here today, following a lingering illness.

Johnson, founder of the American League and its fighting president for years died only a few hours after E. S. Barnard, who succeeded him as president of the American League, had died suddenly at Rochester, Minn.

Johnson had been ill for months suffering from diabetes and his doctors had given up hope for his recovery weeks ago.

Johnson's fighting spirit, the same that kept him battling on until the ravages of ill health left him a broken old man before his energetic enemies were able to run him out of the American League presidency, made the veteran the dominant figure during the period of baseball's greatest development.

Although he started out as a lawyer after graduating from Marietta College in Ohio, Johnson concluded as president of the American League via the newspaper route.

After spending two years studying law at the Cincinnati School of Law with Charles G. Dawes, present ambassador to the Court of St. James, Johnson decided he was not fitted for the legal profession and took a job reporting on the Cincinnati Commercial.

Gradually he worked over into the sports department of his newspaper until he devoted all of his time to this phase of news work. He covered the Sullivan-Mitchell fight, a task that involved racing through a large portion of Louisiana a few jumps ahead of the law.

Johnson was invited to become president of the Western League in 1923. He planned to hold the job temporarily and then return to newspaper work. The first of a series of long battles to oust Johnson originated with John T. Brush who headed the Indianapolis club. He managed to outwit Brush, but found the task so big he gave up newspaper work entirely.

In 1931 Johnson expanded the Western into the American League mainly through the financial assistance of Charles Somers of Cleveland. It was called a "flighty" scheme by critics at the time, but a few years saw the American dominate the field.

Johnson obtained valuable aid from Charles A. Comiskey in his efforts to build up the league.

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EMPEROR MARINE RETURNS HOME

NEW YORK, March 28.—Emperor or Faustine I, King of the Vodoo Island of Lagonave, more properly, Faustine Wirkus, former sergeant of United States Marines, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., was back in his native land today, having returned from the West Indian island aboard the S. S. Netherlands.

Wirkus—it is by this name he wants to be known in this country—probably knows more about West Indian vodooism than any other living white man. For three years he cruised over the island's 19,000 inhabitants, entering into native secrets of family and state. He was first stationed at Lagonave in 1925.

"If I have the nerve I will lecture," Wirkus replied to questions concerning his future. He plans to show motion pictures in connection with his lectures. He also is writing a book.

CUTS WAY THROUGH ROOF TO FLEE JAIL

PORT HURON, Mich., March 28.—Herbert Roberts, 26, said to be a resident of Kansas City, escaped from the County Jail here today by cutting his way through the roof of the prison.

Roberts, according to authorities jumped three stories to the ground, broke down a fence surrounding the jail and fled.

He was arrested March 12 when sheriff's deputies claim he tried to switch a fake diamond for a real stone at a local jewelry store, he is also wanted in Kansas City, police declared.

REGRETS PASSING

NEW YORK, March 28.—Regret over the death of E. S. Barnard, president of the American Baseball League, was voiced by John A. Heydler, president of the National League. Barnard died yesterday at Rochester, Minn.

FEATURES : Views and News Comment : EDITORIAL

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the broken-hearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised.—St. Luke, iv, 18.

THE AGREEMENT

The economic agreement Germany has entered into with Austria is interpreted as a movement toward a central European economic union. Other consequences may emerge from it. The drawing together of these two branches of the German people economically may hasten their reunion politically.

Austria lost more by the war than any other country engaged in it. The Austro-Hungarian empire had an area of 261,000 square miles and a population of 51,000,000 people. Austria today has a population of 3,500,000 people compressed into an area of 32,369 square miles. Austro-Hungary, whatever its political defects as an empire, was an economic entity, which enabled the various races collected in it to live and prosper. The dismemberment of it left Austria in an economic plight as sad as any in Europe. The population has declined, Vienna, a brilliant political and cultural center before the war, suffered eclipse. Consequently it is not unnatural for the Austrians, who are almost purely German, to seek a union that promises much to them economically. The racial affinity of the two nations explains the rest.

Although the "anschluss" was banned by the treaty of Versailles, a time unquestionably will come when the Germans of Austria and those of Germany will be under one flag. The economic artificiality of obstructing their reunion cannot endure forever. The fear the French have of permitting anything to strengthen Germany is the chief obstacle to perfectly natural racial movement. Would 6,500,000 Germans in Austria and 63,000,000 in Germany be a greater danger to France if they were under one government than they are under two governments? Anything that benefitted them economically would, of course, strengthen them militarily; but on the other hand, any external restraint on their freedom of action, any prohibition of their joining together if they like, will act, as long as it continues, to embitter their minds toward those responsible for it. The chances of future contact probably would be diminished by the early consummation of the union which both countries seem to desire.

NEW COMMITTEE

Any morning the American people must be prepared to find that some "committee" or other, on something or other "highly important," has sprung up over night and is adorning the political or moral landscape. So there is no occasion for surprise because Brother Mencken and Upton Sinclair and Norm Thomas and Professor Dewey of Columbia, and others with them, have organized themselves into a "group of prominent economists, clergymen and writers" and formed the "international committee for political prisoners." Or maybe it's an old committee revived. We don't know, and probably most people don't know. You simply can't keep track of all the flowers and fruits of propaganda in our fair land.

However, the cool proposal this new (or revived) committee makes is a little amazing even when one considers the membership. It has sent a letter to Secretary Stimson demanding a "hands off" policy toward Cuba, or something. The "or something" is important, because it isn't really "hands off" that the personages of the committee want, but constructive interference.

The government of the United States at present is maintaining a strictly "hands off" attitude toward Cuba. It is leaving that country to fix up its political troubles as best it can without interlarding in any way between President Machado and the would-be revolutionists, but that doesn't suit Messrs. Mencken et al at all. They affirm severely and with groans, "We are advised from numerous sources that fear of American intervention is the reason why the opposition to the Machado dictatorship, which is almost universal, does not adopt the only available means of opposing that dictatorship: Namely revolution."

And so we come to it. The committeemen don't like Machado. They do sympathize with the revolutionists, and they want the government of the United States to stab a regular established and friendly government in the back by saying to their proteges: "Go ahead and raise all the hell you like. You have our approval and consent." In other words, the committee would like to have Washington more or less slyly espouse the cause of the Cuban rebels.

There's statecraft and square dealing for you! How do you suppose people get that way?

Again Mr. MacDonald's government has "fallen without hurting itself." The next thing Winston Churchill probably will compare it to is a cat, with nine lives.

Other Editorial Thoughts

THE PRESIDENT'S VACATION

President Hoover has been a busy man since he entered the White House two years ago, and has well earned the short vacation he is taking.

The strain under which the chief executive of the United States labors is a terrific one. Final decision on every important question that powerfully touches the well being of the whole country rests with him.

That responsibility never can be laid aside so long as the president is in office. It is a drain on his vitality and stamina which few can appreciate.

President Hoover has had tremendous problems to contend with. A few weeks' absence from Washington will offer some distraction, although the burden of the administration will accompany him even on his vacation trip. He cannot lay it aside.

His selection of Porto Rico and the Virgin Islands will not free him entirely from official cares, for the island territories lately have been the subject of considerable discussion.

A civil governor in the Virgin Islands recently has taken over the jurisdiction formerly administered by the navy, and a new policy of administering the territory to further its civil and economic development is in the making.

Governor Roosevelt of Porto Rico has taken hold of the affairs of that island in commendable manner and has displayed a sympathetic and helpful attitude toward its people, many of whom are still suffering from the effects of the devastating hurricanes of recent years.

The conferences which President Hoover conducts with the American representatives there should help in restoring economic conditions and developing a friendly attitude toward the civil government.

The country hopes that President Hoover, despite his attention to administrative details, will find his short vacation restful and enable him to return to Washington refreshed and strengthened.—Richmond Palladium.

Bo-Broadway

By JOSEPH VAN RAALTE

NEW YORK.—Those of The Congregation who have been worried by the thought that George Bernard Shaw was about to pay a visit to our fair land, need no longer be apprehensive. The Old Boy's not coming, and, like Chick Sale, he tells us why.

Over in Great Britain, it appears, he has a few ladies and gentlemen to cater to.

Over here, he says, every little shopkeeper is up on the rooftop with a megaphone crying his wares. "And why should I go to America?" he adds, "where there are so many of me?"

In other words, Why carry hot daws to Coney Island?

HOT WINDS

From now on, it'll be only "hot rods" for Lily Damita, exotic little movie star.

"Why not?" inquires Lil, with her lips and her eyes and her eyebrows and shoulders. "Ze hot roles make ze men happy, ze women jealous. What is ze use to have ze emotion and not use them? In future, I come in like ze cyclone. I go out like hurricane. Lily Damita shall be ze emotional tempest on ze screen."

So live that you never disappoint your press agent.

THE MAN NOBODY NO'S

There's a yarn bouncing around the Broadway orange drink stands concerning a past middle-aged New England spinster who fell heir to a large sum of money and arrived in New York on her way to see Europe.

She was very much excited about her contemplated trip and was explaining, just where she expected to go—London, Paris, Berlin and then down to Italy.

"I'm so anxious to get into Italy," she said. "I've heard such a lot about Mussolini. I know it must be the most beautiful city in the world!"

DIME LIFE

George Newton, assistant to the managing director of the Prince George Hotel, saved a wealthy man's life once, and ten years later the man sent him a pair of ten-cent-store cuff links as a reward for his bravery.

Some men set more value on their lives than others.

SNAPSOTS

Those who parade along the streets in the theatre district in the middle of the evening sometimes run into a spectacle which, ordinary enough in itself, stops the sidewalk traffic and turns the promenaders into gapers.

This is when a group of show girls or night-club entertainers, still in their heavy make-up and with filmy short dresses covered by brightly lighted goatees and take taxis, bound for another show-house or club.

"Is it a raid?" or "Are they being taken to jail?" are the questions usually asked. But as no guards are present the answer becomes obvious. Then the taxis clatter away and the street parade resumes its leisurely march, refreshed by this glimpse of real glamour.

NO WRINKLES

When Irene Franklin appeared in "Sweet Adeline" she wore lights in one scene. The producer was a little dubious about the little lady's ability to look well so smoothly clad.

After the opening performance a porter employed in the theatre smiled at the actress and said: "Miss Franklin, I think I ought to tell you—your legs was a pleasant surprise to th' management!"

THE QUESTION BOX

Central Press Wash. Bureau

Answers to questions on information and fact can be obtained by writing to Central Press Bureau 1435 East Twelfth Street, Cleveland, O. and enclosing a self-addressed, stamped envelope. No answers will be given to marital, medical or legal questions nor will the estimated value of old coins be given.

Who is the president of France? Who is the premier?

Gaston Doumergue is president of France and Pierre Laval is premier.

World War

What was the immediate cause of the World war? What was the first nation to declare war? When did the war end? When did the United States enter?

The immediate cause of the World war was the assassination of the Archduke Francis of Austria at Sarajevo, on June 28, 1914. On July 28, 1914, Austria declared war on Serbia. The United States declared war on Germany April 6, 1917. The armistice ending the war was signed Nov. 11, 1918.

Titanic

When did the Titanic sink? How many lives were lost?

The Titanic struck an iceberg in the Atlantic ocean and sank April 14-15, 1912. One thousand five hundred seventeen lives were lost.

Lent

If there are 40 days in Lent, and Lent began Wednesday, the 18th, why does Easter Sunday fall on April 5, which is 47 days later?

Lent is a fast of 40 days (excluding Sundays) from Ash Wednesday to Easter Sunday.

(NOTE: The following pamphlets may be obtained by sending 10 cents in coin and a large stamped self-addressed envelope for each to Central Press Bureau, P. O. Box 128 Washington, D. C.: "Who's Who in Hollywood," "Seeing Washington," "Swimming," "Charles P. Stewart's treatise on 'Our Government,'" and "The World War.")

AND THIS IS THE MAIDEN ALL FORLORN—



HUGE SHIP SUBSIDIES EAT UP POSTAL FUNDS; MAIL DEFICIT SMALL

CHARLES F. STEWART

(The second of two articles dealing with the proposed increase of postal rates.)

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Private business does not actually want to wreck the postal service, in Congressman Clyde Kelly's opinion. For all that, the Pennsylvania representative is frankly doubtful of the average ultra-conservative's willingness to have a co-operative enterprise overly successful lest it breed a popular demand for the co-operative principle's extension to other utilities, especially telephones and the telegraph, which most up-to-date countries already consider as naturally governmental as the letter mail.

Indeed, the Pennsylvania himself refers to telephones in a fashion to make a private ownership stand-patter's flesh creep.

"It cannot be denied," says the Keystone State congressman, "that the business is a great success from a strictly financial standpoint. It has a great advantage over the postoffice in that only those persons receive its service who pay a fixed monthly charge for an instrument, and they must pay that charge whether or not they use the instrument. But would it be suggested that each American family ought to be charged a regular monthly fee for a mail box? Rather, it could be argued, not that postal charges should be modeled after those in the telephone business, but that the general public would benefit if telephone communication were included in the postal service."

Suppose, however, that the mail service were to be de-governmentalized and placed on the same basis as the national network of telephone systems.

Then what? "Why," answers Congressman Kelly promptly, "conducted as a private business, a great many of the postoffice's conveniences and services would be discontinued immediately. Rural free delivery, with all its value but with its \$50,000,000 annual loss, would be first to go. The only test of each service would be, 'Does it pay?' If not, it would be sunk without a trace."

"I favor the highest postal efficiency, but there is a vast difference between efficient service and efficient money-making. If private owners took over the postal service and rebuilt it on a profit basis, they would reduce services and increase charges. The government's duty is to improve service and lower charges as far as possible."

Even so, adds the Pennsylvania, the postoffice deficit is not nearly as large as is represented.

As stated by critics, it now approximates an annual \$100,000,000. "The actual 1930 figure," says Congressman Kelly, "is about \$58,000,000. Approximately \$40,000,000 of the supposed \$100,000,000 is not spent for the postoffice's benefit at all, but to promote various projects in which the government is interested—either wisely or not—is immaterial for reasons entirely independent of postal welfare."

Notably the Keystone representative refers to subventions made to shipping and aviation lines, under the guise of payments for carriage of the mails, which are, in fact, carried, but at no such expense, according to the Pennsylvania, as the sums allowed would indicate.

That they run into important money may be judged from a list of contracts, between the government and a typical baker's dozen of American shipping companies, which Senator Kenneth McKellar of Tennessee made a part of the record of congressional proceedings last June.

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Kelly promptly, "conducted as a private business, a great many of the postoffice's conveniences and services would be discontinued immediately. Rural free delivery, with all its value but with its \$50,000,000 annual loss, would be first to go. The only test of each service would be, 'Does it pay?' If not, it would be sunk without a trace."

"I favor the highest postal efficiency, but there is a vast difference between efficient service and efficient money-making. If private owners took over the postal service and rebuilt it on a profit basis, they would reduce services and increase charges. The government's duty is to improve service and lower charges as far as possible."

Even so, adds the Pennsylvania, the postoffice deficit is not nearly as large as is represented.

As stated by critics, it now approximates an annual \$100,000,000. "The actual 1930 figure," says Congressman Kelly, "is about \$58,000,000. Approximately \$40,000,000 of the supposed \$100,000,000 is not spent for the postoffice's benefit at all, but to promote various projects in which the government is interested—either wisely or not—is immaterial for reasons entirely independent of postal welfare."

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Physicians' Treatments Are Diverse

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

More and more the modern physician is adding diverse methods to his stock of treatments. A hundred years ago about all a patient could expect from a doctor was drugs and bleeding. Scientific nursing was added by Florence Nightingale, surgery by anaesthesia and asepsis. Water treatment by the Austrian farmer boy, Preissnitz. The use of diets is a modern development. As is the use of vaccines, anti-toxins and immunological substances of other kinds.

Physical therapy as it is called—the methods of electricity, lights, baths and massage—is probably the field of medicine receiving the greatest amount of attention today.

Massage is the subject of a recent authoritative statement.

Like many other methods of treatment which have only lately been put on a scientific basis, massage was practiced many centuries ago. "The physician," said Hippocrates, in 430 B. C., "must be experienced in many things, but especially in rubbing." But careful investigation of the physiology of massage is of recent date. It has been shown that massage causes definite changes in the body—there is an increased excretion of nitrogen from the breakdown of manipulated tissues, a loss of acid by way of the kidneys, and an increase of oxygen consumption.

While massage does not have the same effect as exercise on the body (unless accompanied by movements of the muscles), it does some of the things exercise does when employed on people who are disabled, or so infirm that they cannot take exercise voluntarily.

In relieving pain and inflamma-

tory stiffness it has been found that it is much more effective when the part has been heated before the massage is attempted.

It increases the circulation to any part on which it is used, and helps drive old inflammatory deposits away. It thus has a great usefulness in sprains, in restoring functions to limbs after fractures and dislocations. Trainers for athletic teams often treat minor injuries due to joint ligaments and sprains better than physicians because they take more time and pains and try to get their athletes back into the game as soon as possible.

QUESTIONS FROM READERS

E. J. P.: "Could infected sinuses cause headaches which bring about a sensation as though considerable pressure were being applied about and above the eyeballs?"

Answer: Infected nasal sinuses can cause headaches located nearly anywhere. The particular type described suggests infection of the frontal sinuses. To the further question: "Could they cause a physical condition of lacking in vitality?" the answer is, yes.

Editor's Note: Six pamphlets by Dr. Clending can now be obtained by sending 10 cents in coin for each and a self-addressed, stamped envelope, to Dr. Logan Clending, in care of this paper, or Central Press Association, 1435 East Twelfth Street, Cleveland, O. The pamphlets are: "Indigestion and Constipation," "Reducing and Gaining," "Infant Feeding," "Instructions for the Treatment of Diabetes," "Femine Hygiene" and "The Care of the Hair and Skin."

Plant Seems Symbol Of Life

By MRS. VIRGINIA LEE

I had a little primrose in a pot which I left out of doors so late last fall that I thought it was dead. I cut all the leaves off, leaving only a little brown stump. I watered that and hoped. Finally a wee green leaf appeared, then another and another. Now it is flourishing and has a bunch of pretty pink flowers on it.

That little plant makes me think of the courage humans show. How many pick up their lives again after they seem blighted, and blossom, giving cheer to others who are down!

"DEAR VIRGINIA LEE: I was going steady with a nice young chap, and then we had a quarrel. He told me he loved me, but said he did not believe I loved him, because I do not happen to be very demonstrative. I cared more for him than for any other boy I ever met and told him so. Up to the time I met him I was never serious with anyone, just laughing at life and loving to be alive. After our fight he told me a lie. That hurt terribly, still I forgave him."

"Since he left me he has begun to go about with a different crowd, and now and then rumors reach me that he is drinking pretty much. It hurts me to think that he values his manhood so little that he would seek to drown his troubles."

"I have many dear friends who tell me that he is not worthy of me, but I just can't forget him. I've tried to play square, Virginia, even when he came to say goodbye and brought his girl with him. I sent him away with her, although it was not easy. We parted friends, for which I am thankful. I want his happiness above anything else."

"Can you tell me how I can forgive him? I do club work, church work and love sports. Do you think I can find forgetfulness in them? It is useless to think about other boys, because I just can't see them now. My work is suffering and I am not the same cheery girl I used to be. I will try to do what you tell me."

"DUCKY."

I wish I could give you a panacea for your suffering, Ducky, dear, but I'm afraid I can't. Heartache like yours must simply be endured as gallantly as possible until time heals it, and even then there is usually a little scar left. You have not only lost your boy friend, but you've lost the picture you had of him. You have found that not only is he not the boy you thought and loved, but you must, because of your own nature, continue to love him.

Don't battle too hard to forget. It will take time. Continue your various activities, go away for a change if you can, and have faith that after awhile the hurt will cease to ache. Human hearts are wonderfully resilient. It is surprising what they will endure without breaking, and this experience will give you a deeper insight into human hearts and you will know how to console them. So you see it will not be all loss on your part.

And one more word of consolation: It may be that after a little the boy friend will see his own folly and want to come back, and all this unhappiness will seem like a bad dream.

"DEAR VIRGINIA LEE: I would be considered very pretty if I wasn't quite so fat. Can you please tell me a way to reduce?"

"PEGGY."

If you will send me a stamped, self-addressed envelope and 10 cents in coin I will send you a pamphlet that will help you, Peggy.

Drink Orange Juice- It's Healthy

By GLADYS GLAD

"Dear Miss Glad: I am very fond of orange juice, and generally consume about five or six glasses of it a day. I am at present in excellent health, but mother insists that if I continue to drink so much orange juice, the acid in it will thin my blood, and injure my health. Is there any truth in this opinion?"

"Geraldine."

A number of women have the idea that it is harmful to the health to consume orange juice in any great quantity, because of its acidity. This, however, is an erroneous opinion. Orange juice is indeed acid in taste. But it does not remain as acid when in the stomach. It is alkaline in its final reaction in the body. The citric and malic acids that the orange juice contains are combined with alkaline substances, and when oxidized by the body, leave an alkaline ash. A normal, healthy body has the power to utilize almost any quantity of the organic acids contained in this fruit juice.

"Dear Miss Glad: I have been following the instructions on hair care contained in your 'Beauty Culture' booklet, and the resultant improvement in the thickness and glossiness of my tresses is indeed gratifying. However, my lashes are very short and thin. I'd like to have long, heavy lashes, and was wondering whether it would be advisable to cut the tips of the lashes in order to promote their growth. Can you advise me?"

"Virginia."

I would not advise you to cut your lashes in order to promote their growth. In the first place, it is a dangerous practice, for if any of the minute bits of hair become lodged in the eyes, serious infections may result. And in the second place, the hairs grow from the hair follicles in the eyelids, and cutting the ends in no way influ-

ences their growth. If you wish to make your lashes long and heavy, apply a bit of plain vaseline or odorless and tasteless castor oil to them before retiring every night. These preparations are both excellent for promoting the growth of the eyelashes.

"Buccaneer Hop" Honors Central High Team

POSSIBLY the last social event of the school year sponsored by the senior class of Central High School, was the annual "Buccaneer Hop" staged in the school gymnasium Friday evening. The affair was in honor of the school's basketball team, champions of the Miami Valley League.

The gymnasium was decorated to represent a pirate's den. On one wall of the room there was drawn a large pirate's ship, flying a flag.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY HAS MEETING FRIDAY.
The Women's Missionary Society of the First United Presbyterian Church held its regular meeting at the church Friday afternoon. Mrs. T. H. Bell opened the meeting with a devotional period. Mrs. Walter Dean was in charge of an interesting program on "The American Indian" and papers were read by Mrs. Dean and Mrs. Luella Jackson.

Following the program Mrs. A. S. Frazer presented boxes of flower bulbs as awards for perfect attendance during the year to Mrs. Charles E. Dean, Mrs. Anna Morris and Mrs. E. C. Moorman. A social hour was enjoyed and delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Walter Nash, Mrs. Walter Dean and Miss Lucinda McCall, assisted by members of the executive committee.

FORMER XENIAN IS MARRIED IN XINCINNATI.

Friends here of Miss Helen Hill, Cincinnati, formerly of this city, will be interested in the announcement of her marriage Saturday to Mr. Robert Murphy, Dayton. The ceremony was quietly performed in Cincinnati and Miss Dora Hayward, W. Second St., this city, was one of the attendants.

FORMER XENIAN'S ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

Announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Julia Marie Hoefler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John V. Hoefler, Columbus, to Mr. Ambrose L. Chabot, of Newark, N. J., is being made. Mr. and Mrs. Hoefler, who reside at 143 N. Warren Ave., Columbus, are former Xenians.

GIVEN SURPRISE ON 72ND BIRTHDAY.

Mrs. Mahalia H. Hargrave, Bowersville, was honored at a surprise party Thursday, the occasion being her seventy-second birthday. The affair was given at the home of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. B. H. Hargrave, and guests included members of the Ladies Aid Society of the Church of Christ.

RECENT BRIDE IS HONORED AT "SHOWER."

Mrs. William Devoe (Rose Charles), a recent bride, was guest of honor at a "shower" given for her at the home of Mrs. B. H. Hargrave, Bowersville, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Devoe was presented an array of lovely gifts by the guests.

ST. BRIGID MEN TO SPONSOR PARTY.

The St. Brigid Church will sponsor a card party in St. Brigid Auditorium Monday evening, April 6, it is announced. This will be the first social event of the church following the Lenten season. Euchre, "500" and bridge will be played during the evening and other amusements are being arranged for the pleasure of those attending the affair. Proceeds from the party will be added to the church fund.

Veterans of Foreign Wars will initiate a class of 150 new members at a meeting at Memorial Hall, Springfield, Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. Any veteran of foreign wars in Xenia or Greene County wishing to join the organization are asked to be present at the meeting with their discharge papers. A number of war veterans of this city will attend the meeting Saturday evening.

The Misses Katherine and Betty Chew, E. Market St., left Friday for Boston, Mass., to spend their spring vacation with their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Chesterton (Florence Chew).

The Junior Woman's Club will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Steele Poague, W. Church St.

Mrs. Karl Babb and daughter, Elizabeth, E. Second St., arrived home Saturday from Port Valley, Ga., where they spent several weeks with Mrs. Babb's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Withoff.

Prof. and Mrs. J. J. Wolford and Miss Mary Anna Wolford, Miami University, Oxford, O., have arrived here to spend their spring vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wolford, Hoop Road.

Mrs. C. E. Trubee, 130 High St., is confined to her home with an attack of the grip.

Members of Christ Episcopal Church choir are asked to meet for rehearsal at the church Saturday evening at 7 o'clock.

Mr. W. Crawford Craig, N. Galloway St., returned home Friday from El Paso, Texas, where he spent several weeks.

inscribed, "Champs—Central Bucs." It was here that Coach Walter C. Wilson presented letters to five members of the team and the manager. The awarding of letters took place during intermission.

Dancing was enjoyed from 8:30 to 11 o'clock with the music furnished by Charlie Reeder's Orchestra, Dayton, Ohio. The orchestra was seated in a miniature cave. Several novelty dances were introduced during the evening and a prize was presented John Charles Beacham and Miss Eldora Baughn in one of the dances. Several members of the high school faculty were guests of honor during the evening.

"FOUNDERS' DAY" IS CELEBRATED THURSDAY.
Thirty-five members of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society and the Standard Bearers Society of the First M. E. Church enjoyed a covered dish supper and program in the basement of the church Thursday evening in celebration of "Founders' Day." A short business meeting followed the supper and Miss Louise Kelter, president of the Standard Bearers, presided.

Later a program was enjoyed and a demonstration, prepared by Mrs. A. C. Turrell and conducted by Mrs. J. T. Charters, was presented. The demonstration dealt with the organization of the Foreign Missionary Society in 1869 and four women and four girls of the church took part in its presentation. Mrs. Harry Siefert presented a chapter from the study book, "A Cloud of Witnesses."

ALDORA CHAPTER ENJOYS PARTY.

Fifty members of Aldora Chapter, No. 262, Order of Eastern Star, and their families enjoyed a social time at the Masonic Temple Friday evening under auspices of the March thimble committee. The game of "50" was played during the evening, prizes being awarded Mrs. Roy Ireland, Mrs. John Shadach, Mr. Fred Schultz and Mr. A. J. Taylor. Refreshments were served about 10 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Clark headed the committee in charge of the affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Riley, Cincinnati Pike, are announcing the birth of a daughter at their home Friday afternoon.

Mr. Hugh Espey, student at Denison University, Granville, O., arrived home Friday evening to spend his spring vacation with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Paul D. Espey, N. Detroit St.

The choir of the Friends Church will present a vesper song service at the church Easter Sunday at 4 p. m. It is announced.

All officers and members of the degree staff of Obelisk Council, No. 160, D. of A., are asked to meet Tuesday evening for team practice. Members are asked to pay dues at this meeting.

Several novelty dances will be introduced at the "April Fool's Day Dance" sponsored by members of Ohio Beta Beta Chapter, Phi Delta Kappa fraternity, at the Elks' Club Wednesday evening. Music will be furnished by Michael Hauer's Orchestra, Dayton.

Mrs. F. L. Johnson, N. Galloway St., is confined to her home suffering from an injury to her right foot. Mrs. Johnson received several torn tendons in her ankle when she fell down several steps at Trinity M. E. Church Thursday evening.

Mrs. A. B. Kester, N. King St., is expected to return home Sunday from Leesburg, O., where she was called several days ago by the illness of her father, Mr. G. A. Pavey, who is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Francis Orr and little son, Robert, N. Galloway St., left Saturday morning for Wichita, Kan., for a visit of several weeks with Mrs. Orr's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Collins.

RADIO FEATURES IN OHIO

SATURDAY
By International News Service
Varieties, WEAF (NBC network)
8:15 p. m.

Around the Samovar, WABC (CBS network) 9:00 p. m.
Musical Doctors, WJZ (NBC network) 9:30 p. m.
Show Boat, WABC (CBS network) 10:00 p. m.
Popular Orchestra, WLW Cincinnati, 11:00 p. m.

By International News Service SUNDAY
"The Apostles" by the National Oratorio Society, WEAF (NBC network) 1:00 p. m.

"The Three Musketeers" by Alexander Dumas; "Theater Hour," WLW Cincinnati, 2:00 p. m.
Belle Baker, WEAF (NBC network) 2:30 p. m.
Dennis King, motion picture star, WEAF (NBC network) 3:30 p. m.
Frances White, vaudeville star, WLW Cincinnati, 11:30 p. m.

MONDAY
Mino Martino, tenor, operatic program WABC (CBS network) 6:30 p. m.

Mildred Hunt, featured in Roxy program, WJZ (NBC network) 7:45 p. m.
An old fashioned "sugaring" by the Real Folks, WJZ (NBC network) 9:30 p. m.
"Ave Maria," featured selection of Lulu Gates Bootes, WJZ (NBC network) 10:00 p. m.
Muriel Magerly Kyle, with "Musical Etchings," WLW, Detroit 11:25 p. m.

BOTH SCHOLAR AND SOLDIER

Paul V. McNutt Was Lieutenant Colonel At 27; Will Speak Here Thursday



PAUL V. MCNUTT

Paul V. McNutt, Bloomington, Ind., who will be principal speaker at the annual community banquet sponsored by Foody Post, American Legion, at the O. S. and S. O. Home dining room next Thursday evening, was a lieutenant colonel in the army at 27 and is the youngest Indiana University professor to be made a dean.

McNutt was appointed dean of the law school in May, 1925 and at 37 was elected national commander of the American Legion, serving one year. He was born in Franklin, Ind., son of Judge John C. McNutt, product of the third generation of pioneer stock.

He received an A. B. at Indiana U. in 1913, wears a Phi Beta Kappa key and holds membership in the Order of Coif, honorary scholastic society. He was editor of the Indiana Daily Student and president of Indiana Union during his school days, and covered three world series games for a press association while still a scholar. Turning to law, he obtained his LL.B. at Harvard in 1916.

McNutt has both practiced and preached preparedness. When war was declared he drew straws with other professors in the law school to see in what order they would be released to enlist and he enrolled in the second officers' training camp at Ft. Benjamin Harrison early in 1917. He was commissioned captain of field artillery and promoted to two successive grades to lieutenant colonel. He now holds a commission as colonel in the reserves and commands the 326th Field Artillery.

He was admitted to the bar in 1914 and practiced with his father at Martinsville until he was appointed assistant professor of law at the university. He is civilian aide to the secretary of war for Indiana, a member of the Indiana Corporations survey committee, of the Indiana State Bar Association and chairman of its committee on legal education. He directed establishment of the Indiana Law Journal and is chairman of its board of editors. He is a life member of the American Law Institute, the Association of American Law Schools and the American Association of University Professors. He is also a member of Beta Theta Pi, Phi Delta Phi, the Acadia, is a Methodist, Mason, Elk, member of the University Club, Rotary Club and the country clubs of Martinsville and Bloomington. He is married and has one daughter, Louise.

Poetic Tribute To State Wins For Mrs. Wiggins

COLUMBUS, O., March 28.—"I love thy temples, schools and marts, thy industries, thy finer arts; thy many homes wherein are born all virtues that thy name adorn—" This tribute to the Buckeye state today won for Mrs. Lida Keck Wiggins, Springfield post, the \$500 prize offered by Director of Education John L. Clifton for a new and original state song for Ohio.

Mrs. Wiggins' song was chosen as the best of 1,300 lyrics after a year's study by a committee of judges that included Hugh Fullerton, Columbus newspaperman. Judges said, however, that it was the third stanza in which a tribute was paid to the industrial Ohio of today which particularly impressed them.

Mrs. Wiggins, they said, learned to love the busy industries of her state while society editor of the Springfield Morning Sun for which she also wrote a daily verse. The closing stanza: "I love thy temples, schools and marts, thy industries, thy finer arts; thy many homes wherein are born all virtues that thy name adorn— I love the red blood of thy veins; I love the blue blood in thy veins; I love thy spirit, heaven-blessed The royal heart within thy breast."

Several verse writers of international reputation entered lyrics in the contest, it was said.

Mrs. Wiggins is known in Xenia and Greene County. She formerly lived in the eastern part of Greene County and graduated from high school at Cedarville.



Only two former speakers of the house of representatives are alive today. Ex-Senator Frederick H. Gillett, 80, of Springfield, Mass., top, and Joseph W. Keifer, 95, of Springfield, O., below. Keifer was speaker from 1881-1883 and Gillett from 1919-1925. The former has been out of public life for a number of years and Senator Gillett retired March 4.

POLICE TO START DOG CAMPAIGN

Does your dog run after and bark at automobiles?
Does your dog yelp and howl so as to disturb any neighbors?
Does your dog go into your neighbors' yard and spill any garbage or in any way destroy the property of another person?
If so, police advise you to keep your pet penned up or something because in view of a deluge of complaints received at police headquarters from every part of the city lately, the department has decided to strictly enforce a city ordinance making it a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed \$10 and costs, for any owner of a dog to permit the animal to become a nuisance.

COMPLETE PROGRAM FOR ANNUAL DINNER OF RED CROSS HERE

Plans have been completed for the program to be presented in connection with the annual dinner of Greene County Chapter, American Red Cross, at the First U. P. Church, E. Market St., Monday evening at 8:15 o'clock. Many reservations have been made for the dinner which will be served by the women of the church.

Wilson V. Galloway, chairman of the local chapter, will preside during the program, which will be opened with the singing of "America" by the audience, followed by prayer, J. E. Balmer, of the O. S. and S. O. Home, will sing a solo and Fred C. Spaulding, Columbus, field representative of the American Red Cross, will discuss "Drought Relief in Ohio." Mrs. James Wilson will sing a solo. Mr. Galloway will discuss "Red Cross Work in Xenia and Greene County" after which a reading will be given by Miss Mildred Mason. The main address of the evening will be delivered by Judge Harry G. Gram, Springfield. Mr. Balmer will sing another solo followed by another reading by Miss Mason. The program will close with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" by the audience.

Special out of town guests at the meeting will be Judge and Mrs. Gram and Miss Martha Abbott, Springfield; the Rev. Donald C. Ellwood, Wilmington; Miss Mary D. Robinson, Washington C. H.; Miss Eliza P. Hall, Dayton and Mr. Spaulding, Columbus.

FAIR BOARD TO ASK HORSE STALL BIDS

Bids for construction of seventy new horse stalls at the Xenia Fairgrounds to replace those destroyed by fire of unknown origin last October 2, will be sought by the Greene County Fair Board next week, according to Treasurer H. U. Bell.

The new stalls, of frame construction, each ten feet square and with a ten-foot overjet to eliminate awnings, will be erected in a line for about 700 feet along the north fringe of the fairgrounds at an estimated cost of approximately \$3,000. They will have either shingle or galvanized roofs.

PRINCES GREETED IN POURING RAIN

SAO PAULO, Brazil, March 28.—The Prince of Wales and Prince George arrived in this coffee center of the world today, amid a pouring rain, for a visit to the coffee growing regions of Brazil.

Notwithstanding the weather, a large crowd was on hand to welcome the two royal "Trade Ambassadors." The two visitors will be the guests of the provincial governor, at the government house, during their stay here.

Truman Coy, freshman in the electrical engineering department of Ohio State University, Columbus, spent the spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Coy.

An interesting program of music, songs, and readings will be given at the church here Sunday evening, March 29, at 7 o'clock by a quartet from Manchester College. Miss Ruth Eidemiller, youngest daughter of the Rev. J. H. Eidemiller is a member of this quartet.

The church here is being redecorated and a piano has been purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bear entertained the Faithful Workers' Sunday School classes at the regular monthly meeting, March 19. H. C. Havensick, president, conducted the business session.

A contest introduced by Mrs. H. M. Stuart was enjoyed. Refreshments of pie, sandwiches and coffee were served. In attendance were Mrs. F. J. Barrow, Mrs. Wenrick, Misses Lizzie Haverstick and Julia Lantz, Mrs. Andy O'Hara, Mrs. Nettie Moler, Mrs. Harlan Coy, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Devoe, and children, Mrs. Lewis Bailey, Mrs. Clutie Sipe, Mrs. J. M. Coy, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stuart, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coy, Lawrence and Alice Coy, Mrs. H. M. Stewart, Thelma and Nadine Stewart, Mason Aleshire, Misses Martha Coy and Ruth Stewart.

A short program consisting of a solo by Vera Bear; quartet by Mrs. Devoe, Mrs. Stuart, Mrs. Bailey and Mrs. Bear, and a reading by Mrs. Bear, were given.

Old friends are happy to welcome Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Jones, (Lucille Smith), of San Francisco, Calif., back to Beaver Creek on a visit. Mrs. Jones, a former teacher for four terms at Zimmermann, has been invited to tell of her trips in California and from there to the Panama Canal and New York at the April 1st meeting of the Community Club at Mrs. Alvah Stines' home. Mrs. Jones was also a former president of the club, and also a very successful teacher.

An excellent Easter program will be given here Sunday evening, April 5, at 7:30. Everyone is cordially invited.

NEW JASPER

A worship service has been planned in memory of the three hours of Christ on the cross on the third of April, Good Friday, beginning at 12 o'clock and lasting until three. The time will be divided and seven preachers will take part and each one talk of the seven utterances of Christ while on the cross. Special music has been arranged and a very large crowd is expected to be present. The services are in charge of the Rev. Stitzel, pastor at this place.

SPRING VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Shirk called on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fawcett, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sutton of Dayton and Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Hagler and Mr. and Mrs. Omar Hagler of Xenia visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Spahr, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hagler and Dorothy Jean and Ellen were Wilmington visitors Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Conklin have been suffering with the grip the past week.

The trustees of the township held a meeting in the Township House Monday night and the new clerk, Mr. Harry Hagler, was sworn in his office. The office was made vacant by Mr. Howard Glass moving away.

Mr. Donald Whittington has been suffering with the mumps.

Several of the Farm Bureau members visited the Dayton stockyards and a fertilizer plant near Cincinnati Tuesday.

Mrs. Clement St. John and little daughter Margaret Evelyn have been visiting relatives at this place. Last Wednesday night Mrs. W. C. St. John entertained Mrs. W. R. Collins and son Billy of Columbus and the Misses Mina and Amy St. John of Xenia, at a 6 o'clock dinner in honor of Mrs. St. John and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Burr Clark of Toledo visited the Rev. Stitzel and family Sunday and attended the morning services at the church.

Quite a large crowd attended the Farm Bureau meeting last Tuesday night. A very good program was rendered and a covered dish supper was enjoyed by all. The next meeting will be held at Mr. Ed Ballard in Jamestown.

Mr. Cecil Huston has been confined to his home the past week on account of illness.

The Willing Workers held their monthly class meeting at the home of Mrs. Fred Fawcett, Wednesday afternoon. The elected officers for the coming year: Mrs. Foy Ford was elected president; Mrs. Raymond Bull, vice president; Mrs. Fred Fawcett, secretary and Mrs. Ertis Huston, treasurer. Mrs. Fawcett served delicious refreshments.

Several from here attended the Jamestown senior class play Friday night. The title of the play is "When the Clock Strikes Twelve." Mr. Ivan St. John of this place was one of the leading characters.

Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Grant Phillips and son at Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Chenoweth spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Doepeke and family at Dayton.

Professor and Mrs. Raymond Mendenhall of Ohio Wesleyan University visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Zimar F. Haines, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Conner have sold their property in South Burlington to Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson.

BOWERSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howell and wife have moved back to their farm.

Supt. and Mrs. Carl H. Shanks, Mrs. Dwight Bennett and the high school basketball team spent last Friday in Columbus.

Alfred Shaw of Plattsburg visited the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Murphy had as their Sunday dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Pennington and daughter Jo Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ewbanks and daughter Corrine, Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Ewbanks and daughter Violet spent Saturday in Springfield.

Dwight Bennett, Coach Stanley Pennington, and the junior basketball team attended a show in Wilmington Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bingham spent Sunday with Mrs. Lester Hall at Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Carpenter and family of Yellow Springs were Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Schauer.

Mrs. Nora Thomas and daughter Miss Lona entertained to dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. James Barnhart and daughter Cleo, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Thomas, Miss Luella Icenhauer, Miss Vivian Sharp and Donald Barnhart of Dayton.

Miss Marjorie Gerard entertained the Sunshine Circle.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hall of Springfield are spending part of this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Schauer.

Mr. Willis Whiteside, an O. S. U. student, spent the spring vacation here with his parents, Prof. and Mrs. J. R. Whiteside.

Mrs. Dee and son Will of Springfield visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Copey and family Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. St. John were the guests of relatives in Bowersville Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Moore is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ayer near Springfield.

Mr. Herman Evans of Columbus was the Sunday guest of his mother, Mrs. Kate Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cline of Dayton, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kittenhouse and daughters, of Xenia, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Benson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wey Wilkerson and family visited relatives in Oregonia Sunday.

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SUNDAY—MONDAY—TUESDAY—MATINEES 2:15

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McDowell and Torrence Co.—Labor and Supplies	2.55
King Grading Co.—Repairs	10.00
King Grading Co.—Repairs	6.15
Shook and Sons—Repairs to Clock	1.75
Huston-Bickett Hdw. Co.—Supplies	32.17
Fred Graham—Supplies	29.45
Fred Graham—Repairs	5.00
Bryan and Co.—Painting Flag Pole	10.00
Emerson B. Curtis—Supplies	8.00
Emerson B. Curtis—Repairs	1.24
Fred Hornick—Supplies	1.24
Diamond Metal Strip Co.—Window Strip	60.00
Geo. C. L. H. Co.—Repairs	1.19
Dutch Harner—Repairs	37.53
Arthur J. Pope—Repairs	2.90
Geo. J. Janney and Engineers	1,800.00
G. W. Swartz—Janitor	48.00
H. S. Smith—Engineer	776.00
Arthur Holbert—Assistant Janitor	40.00
Harry Holbert—Do	41.10
Al Stafford—Do	45.85
W. D. Jones—Do	139.29
Ralph Cline—Do	36.50
Earl Seldenbridge—Do	36.50
Geo. Anderson—Do	19.00
Geo. Conners—Do	3.50

SUPPLIES:	
Emerson B. Curtis—Supplies	37.81
Miller Electric—Do	11.20
Huston-Bickett Hdw. Co.—Supplies	11.20
D. A. Adair Co.—Supplies	46.65
Dunkle Grocery Co.—Supplies	137.40
Federal Sanitation Co.—Do	15.00
W. D. Jones—Do	15.00
Hutchinson and Gibney Co.—Do	48.75
Fred M. Hornick—Do	47.80
D. J. Jones—Do	18.70
Corkins Chemical Co.—Do	14.98
Famous Cheap Store—Do	1.00
W. D. Jones—Do	1.00
H. L. Sayre—Do	7.50
Chas. Melvin—Brooms	1.00
W. D. Jones—Do	1.00
Grace D. Roberts—Laundry	47.68
James Bros.—Supplies	10.50
W. D. Jones—Do	10.50
Ensign Refining Co.—Supplies	11.35
Bockett-King Co.—Supplies	37.00
Cotton Goods Supply Co.—Supplies	2.00
Frank Smith—1 sprinkler	14.10
A. Barnes Co.—Flags	6.00
W. D. Jones—Do	6.00
D. J. Jones—Do	6.00
Midland Chemical Co.—Supplies	5.00
W. D. Jones—Do	5.00
Sohn's Drug Store—Supplies	5.00
Alpha Chemical Co.—Do	5.00
W. D. Jones—Do	5.00
Whitaker Paper Co.—Supplies	40.50
Arrow Boiler Compound Co.—Supplies	16.23
H. E. Eichman—Lamp	2.05
Greene Co. Hdw. Co.—Do	2.05

RENTS:	
L. T. Marshall—County's share of office rent	175.00
Other Expense:	
S. L. Taylor—Drayage	57.69
R. LeSourd Co.—Insurance	5.40
Xenia Fruit Co.—Xmas Tree	1.00
Grace D. Roberts—Laundry	142.37
C. Cox—Laundry	4.33
Huston-Bickett Hdw. Co.—Supplies	21.50
Greene Co. Lumber Co.—Do	36.55
Hutchinson and Gibney Co.—Do	5.00
R. O. Copey—Tuning and Repairs Piano	43.21
Emerson B. Curtis—Supplies	15.50
Famous Cheap Store—Do	18.60
Dunkle Grocery—Do	62.50
Fred Hornick—Supplies	119.40
DuBois Soap Co.—Oil Soap	48.31
Sanitary Supply Co.—Do	10.50
W. D. Jones—Do	10.50
Standard Electric Co.—Service Clock	14.00
Lina Kennedy—Laundry	20.50
J. A. Harwood—Laundry	2.75
W. D. Jones—Do	50.00
Minshall Welding Co.—Repairs	1.50
James Bros.—Do	1.80
Bryant Bros. Co.—Re-decorating Court House	1.80
Fred Graham Co.—Supplies	1.80
C. M. Knick—Supplies	1.80
C. M. Turner—Do	1.80

CHARITY:	
Infirmary:	
Galloway and Cherry—Fixtures	106.16
Salaries:	
A. E. Kildow—Supt. Infirmary	1,500.00
G. O. Kildow—Supt. Infirmary	519.84
A. E. Kildow, Supt.—Salary other employees	519.84
Fuel, Light, Phone and Water:	
Station Power Co.—Light and Power	1,248.00
Ohio Bell Telephone Co.—Phone Bills	112.98
City of Xenia Water Dept.—Water Bills	940.47
Stout Coal Co.—Coal	1,190.53
Xenia Coal Co.—Coal	1,190.53
Maintenance:	
Kennedy's Shoe Store—Shoes	38.51
Charles Bros.—Coffee	334.63
Greene Co. Feed Co.—Feed	81.94
Cloisley Anderson—Meats	1,383.74
C. Penny Co.—Clothing	29.36
Denges—Drugs	21.73
Felix Bros.—Groceries	479.91
C. H. Weaver—Do	479.91
E. H. Schmidt Co.—Groceries	657.02
Sam Engelman—Clothing	77.43
Richards Aiken—Barbering	14.00
P. Wellsworth and Co.—Supplies	44.00
E. E. Lightner—Groceries	753.86
Smith's Bakery—Bread	71.90
Hutchinson and Gibney—Dry Goods	118.26
Galloway and Cherry—Supplies	693.22
Smith's Bakery—Bread	23.94
Orient Hill Grocery—Supplies	9.87
Ohio Penitentiary—Soap Chips	3.46
Frank B. Scott—Repairs	3.46
C. A. Kelbie—Supplies	41.60
Huston-Bickett Co.—Supplies	41.60
C. F. Helling Co.—Do	41.60
C. M. Stepler Co.—Groceries	169.70
P. Fowler—Supplies	169.70
W. D. Jones—Do	602.70
Abe Hyman—Fruits and Veg.	396.84
DeWine and Harner—Corn	15.00
Moseley Mineral Feed	15.00
Green Co. Bros.—Do	15.00
B. Heller and Co.—Supplies	4.85
Sanitary Supply Co.—Supplies	77.95
C. F. Helling Co.—Dresses	134.26
E. T. Clark Co.—Supplies	74.44
Thomas H. Leach—Groceries	14.44
McDonald Dry Goods Co.—Butter	88.09
Xenia Chick Hatchery—Chicks	18.17
J. D. Maskowitz Co.—Dresses	18.17
Sage—Drugs	169.81
Dunkle Grocery Co.—Groceries	11.79
Hunt Bros.—Do	20.25
Alpha Seed and Grain—Feed	20.25
W. D. Jones—Do	12.00
C. W. Coffelt—Supplies	138.72
Kearney Bros.—Groceries	2.24
Ohio Hill Grocery Co.—Groceries	31.58
Alpha Chemical Co.—Supplies	
Chas. Kuntz Tobacco Co.—Tobacco	

INSURANCE:	
D. E. Anderson—Insurance	178.54
R. LeSourd and Co.—Do	242.84
Other Expense:	
Federal Sanitation Co.—Supplies	43.00
Bryant Motor Sales—Repairs and Supplies	19.82
Woodward Electric—Shoe Repairs	15.00
Schmidt Oil Co.—Gas and Oil	9.51
A. E. Kildow, Supt.—Emergency Cash	500.00
W. D. Jones—Do	13.25
Fred Graham Co.—Repairs	24.05
Woodward Electric—Shoe Repairs	15.00
Huston-Bickett Co.—Supplies	124.13
Bockett-King Co.—Do	35.18
Hutchinson and Gibney Co.—Supplies	130.00
W. D. Jones—Do	130.00
H. L. Hartley—1 calf	20.00
Nenia Fruit Co.—Storage	30.00
W. D. Jones—Do	30.00
Nagley Funeral Home—Burial	210.00
Frank Jenks—Labor	105.00
W. D. Jones—Do	105.00
Minshall Welding Co.—Welding	2.00
Lang Chevrolet Co.—1 truck	527.03
W. D. Jones—Do	4.50
Tiffany Jewelry Co.—1 clock	16.20
Famous Cheap Store—Supplies	40.95
Low Brads—Do	40.95
Cherry Grove Cemetery Assn.—Assessment	151.00
H. E. Eichman—Supplies	286.61
Xenia Auto Necessary	18.25
Galloway and Cherry—Supplies	174.48
Greene Co. Hdw. Co.—Supplies	3.75
F. W. Woolworth Co.—Do	6.50
W. D. Jones—Do	6.50
Baldner Motor Co.—Gas	6.40
Miami Fertilizer Co.—Supplies	8.60
Spice Mills Co.—Supplies	8.60
Milwaukee Co.—Supplies	70.08
K. Mendenhall—Supplies	36.75
Green Co. Lumber Co.—Do	1.98
Kenneth Dice—Supplies	22.50
McDowell and Torrence Co.—Lumber	71.57
Walter Dimmitt—Repairs	32.00
Johnson Funeral Home—Services	78.00
Ralph Neel—Burial	70.00
Arthur Funeral Home—Burial	70.00
M. G. Co.—Supplies	7.00
Carter N. Abel—Stone	3.75
Roy W. Hull—Gas	40.00
W. D. Jones—Do	40.00
Swigart Bros.—Repairs	4.00
C. O. Miller—Supplies	25.20
F. D. Conklin—Fertilizer	23.00
Miller Electric Co.—Supplies	15.50
Chas. H. Hawks—Tilling	32.00
McCluhan Hospital—Care of John Stivers	567.00
W. E. Fletcher—Supplies	1.50
Greene County Hospital—Feeding Assn.	38.96
Miami Valley Hospital—Care of John Carter	118.00

CHILDREN'S HOME:	
Not Itemized	\$17,875.22
EXPENSES OF INMATES OF STATE INSTITUTIONS:	
Treas. of State—Feed of Inmates	\$7,187.25
Dayton State Hospital	3,328.80
Do—Crippled Children	3,328.80
Do—Dependent Children	1,559.05
Do—Dependent Inmates—Hospital	2,299.21
Do—Do—Tubercular Patients	2,299.21
Helen Dodds, Treas.—Blind Relief Payroll	3,128.00
Emilia G. Treas.—Treatments	3,128.00
Helen Dodds, Treas.—Blind Relief Pension	3,128.00
SOLDIER RELIEF:	
Helen Dodds, Treas.—Soldiers' Relief List	\$1,964.00
Xenia Foundry Co.—Markers for Graves	331.60
Joe P. Foundry Co.—50—Memorial Day Expense	50.00
Joe P. Foundry Co.—50—Do	50.00
John A. Young Post No. 517—Do	50.00
Chas. A. Young Post No. 15—Do	50.00

Lewis Post G. A. R. No. 347—Do	50.00
A. L. Anderson—Do	50.00
Lewis Strong Post—Jamestown G. A. R. Do	25.00
Burkholder Post—G. A. R. Do	25.00
W. T. Smith—Fees Soldiers' Burial Committee	15.86
Peter H. Hawkins—Do	1.00
Wm. Lindsay—Do	7.00
R. G. Stutsman—Do	1.00
J. Williams—Do	1.00
Fred M. Townsley—Do	1.00
Hugh Turnbull—Do	1.00
Peter H. Hawkins—Do	1.00
Wm. E. Hume—Do	1.00
E. Weikand—Do	1.00
P. H. Hawkins—Do	1.00
Ohmer, Rate, Pres.—Salaries Soldiers' Relief Com.	30.00
Ralph M. Neel—Soldiers' Burial	400.00
Johnson and Watkins—Do	100.00
Garrett and Shields—Do	100.00
J. W. Miller—Do	100.00
Morris and Son—Do	100.00
Nagley Funeral Home—Do	100.00

AGRICULTURE:	
Fair Board:	
B. U. Bell, Treas.—Allowance	\$3,600.00
INSTITUTES:	
E. D. Haines—Expense	25.00
Alfred Vivian—Do	175.00
E. J. Kelsey—Do	11,463.80
W. W. R. Do	21.97
Harry E. Martin—Do	25.00

FAIR GROUND INSURANCE:	
A. W. Treasie—Premium	9.25
D. O. Anderson—Do	304.00
R. E. Copey—Do	120.00
D. O. Copey—Do	35.00
S. B. LeSourd—Do	101.86

COUNTY AGENT:	
Treas. of State—1-2 County Agent's Salary	\$1,500.00
MISCELLANEOUS:	
Hartford Boiler Inspection Fees	3.00
Treas. of State—Ex. of County Offices	2,647.09
BOND PREMIUMS:	
D. H. Barnes—Premiums	85.00
Allegria—Do	152.50
P. F. Marshall—Do	21.37
A. L. Fisher—Do	100.00

NOT ITEMIZED:	
County Bd. of Education	\$4,685.93
County Library	1,632.80
District Health	4,525.81

DETAILED TABULATED STATEMENT Of Receipts and Expenditures for the Year Ending DECEMBER 31, 1930

Name of Funds	Balance Dec. 31, 1929	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance Dec. 31, 1930	Overdrafts
Und. Gen. Tax	\$126,060.46	\$1,168,315.70	\$1,163,160.52	\$131,215.64	34.70
Und. Cigarette Tax	299.70	4,636.27	2,335.42	11,121.61	
Und. Inher. Tax	13,494.18	20,162.86	22,386.49	13,866.64	
County Fund	19,130.39	223,041.74	228,286.49	13,866.64	
Co. Road Fund	3,914.11	68,672.52	98,513.24	2,869.39	
Int. & Sink Fund	6,792.74	95,012.15	98,513.24	2,869.39	
Dog & Kennel Fund	845.12	5,321.25	6,178.15	1,619.97	
Depository Fund	778.86	5,111.13	5,900.92	1,619.97	
Co. Library Fund	62.85	12,802.12	13,405.25	1,602.18	
Co. Board of Ed.	1,837.82	5,121.00	4,685.08	2,273.74	
Dist. Health Fd.	145.96	5,044.75	4,725.81	464.90	
Road Maintenance	694.49	75,547.70	74,840.19	707.45	608.40
Paulin Ditch	446.40		446.40		
Lang Ditch	218.28		218.28		
Lucas Ditch	702.04		702.04		
Lucas Ditch Bridge	3,161.66		3,161.66		
Oglebee Ditch	731.55		731.55		
Gas Tax Fund	14,800.00	64,500.00	60,000.00	18,500.00	
Mid. Jeffville Rd	627.91	61,675.48	61,295.87	3,109.95	
Totals	\$200,987.51	\$1,513,983.81	\$1,502,781.68	\$213,940.40	\$850.76

Office of County Auditor, Greene County, Ohio
March 25th, 1931

HON. R. L. GOWDY,
Judge of the Common Pleas Court,
Greene County, Ohio.

The foregoing is the Detailed Report of all the Financial Transactions of said County, for the Fiscal Year ending December 31st, 1930, made by me, and is respectfully submitted to you to determine whether the same is in conformity to law.

JAMES J. CURLETT,
County Auditor
Court of Common Pleas, Greene County, Ohio
March 25th, 1931

I certify that the foregoing Report is in compliance with the law.

R. L. GOWDY,
Judge of the Court of Common Pleas

EAST END NEWS

MRS. JAMES HARRIS
Correspondent
Tel. 91-R

FIRST A. M. E. CHURCH
Rev. S. A. Amos, Pastor
God standeth in the congregation
of the mighty.

Morning worship 10:45. Theme: The Triumph of Jesus.

7:30 p. m.—Special high class Easter program by Junior choir.

Sunday School 12:30 p. m. Supt. W. C. Rogers.

Young people's meeting 6:30 p. m. Topic: "Why Christ is a Worthy Master."

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

THIRD BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School 9:30 a. m.—H. W. Gales, Supt.

10:45 a. m.—Worship and sermon by Rev. W. A. Stewart. Subject: "Christ's Triumphal Entry Into Jerusalem."

2 p. m.—Sermon, Rev. Stewart. Particularly to women, subject: "Her Rightful Place."

6:30 p. m.—B. Y. P. U. Elizabeth Simms, president. Good program.

7:45 p. m.—Sermon, Subject: "Regeneration" Public cordially invited.

ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
9:30 a. m.—Sabbath School, Jas. Peters, Supt.

Breaching 10:45 a. m. Rev. C. H. Greenfield.

Preaching 7:30 p. m. Rev. A. L. Dooley, Llama.

B. Y. P. U. 6:15 p. m. Group 1. Program: leader, Mrs. Cora Hawkins; discussion of topic, "Why Christ is a Worthy Master," Phil. 2: 5-11. Mrs. Gertrude Holland. This is an interesting program. All are invited to come on time.

Next Sunday at 6 p. m. The Cantata "Easteride" will be rendered by the young peoples' choir.

Miss Lula Mae Garner of Chicago has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Ida Robb, of E. Church St., for the past week. Miss Garner has recently recovered from a minor operation.

Mrs. Arnetta Hough of Jamestown is quite ill at her home in

that city, suffering with a severe case of the grip.

Miss Bettie Rice of E. Main St. was able to resume her school duties this week after several weeks of illness.

The choir of First A. M. E. Church is rehearsing for a cantata to be given Easter Sunday night. It is entitled "The Captive." Miss Edith Holland has the leading role of the captive. Other speaking parts are taken by Mrs. Cora Johnson, as spirit of darkness, Mrs. S. A. Amos, spirit of light, and Mrs. Archie Newsome and Glenwood Ford as Knights of truth.

Mrs. Bertha Greene of E. Market St. was hostess to the Culture Club Thursday afternoon. In addition to the regular routine of business, a wonderful social hour was indulged in, after which a repast was served, which in every way was up to the minute. A large group of guests also enjoyed Mrs. Greene's hospitality.

Mr. Harry Luebers, who is taking work at Ohio State University, spent the week end with his mother and his uncle, Mr. Geo. T. Simpson.

The curriculum committee met Thursday evening in the Home Economics Building. Mrs. Katie P. Jones read an interesting paper on raising funds and supplying food and clothes for needy students who are in need of assistance to remain in school during the spring quarter's work.

Miss Thelma Ingram of Springfield spent several hours on the campus the last of the week visiting her student friends.

A large crowd greeted the Scrollers Club of Delta Chapter, Kappa Alpha Psi when members gave their annual program in Galloway Auditorium last Sunday evening. The roster consists of thirty young men, with Mr. John D. Russell serving as the senior ex-officio and Mr. Matthew Beard as junior ex-officio.

Mr. Robert Shannon, acting as the master of ceremonies, called the audience to order at 7:30 o'clock and the processional march took place. Mr. William Sheridan read an interesting history of the club, followed with a selection, entitled, "The Pilgrim's Chorus" by

the club. After a piano selection by Mr. Samuel Bolden, Mr. Byron Houzz spoke on "The Challenge of Negro Youth of Today." The concluding part of the program was a solo selection, (a) Serenade—Shubert and (b) Flower Song—Lange, by Mr. Oliver Rhodes, and saxophone selections, (a) melody in F—Rubenstein and (b) Star of Hope—Kennedy, by Mr. William Cameron, Jr.

Miss Ruth Chance surprised her sister, Miss Faye, with a surprise party in Arnett Hall Wednesday night. The invited guests were entertained by games and other amusements and then served refreshments.

Miss Gwendolyn Baker was called to South Charleston Wednesday evening by the illness of her mother.

Miss Ed

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3 Florists; Monuments
FLOWERS for all occasions. R. O. Douglas, Florist. Ph. 549-W.

7 Lost and Found
LOST—Thursday, Feb. 26, between Bowersville and bridge N. of Jamestown, suitcase with coat, vest, trousers, shirt, cap, shoes, collar, ties, Noddy J. A. Claybaugh, Bucyrus, O. or D. A. Oliver, Bowersville, O. Reward.

8 Dry Cleaning, Laundry
RUG CLEANING—New, up-to-date methods. Shampooing, dry cleaning, sizing. M. A. Ross, 25-R.

10 Beauty Culture
ORCHID BEAUTY SHOP—231 E. Main. Permanents and all kinds of beauty work. Phone 822-R.

ELEANOR DIMMITT Beauty Shop
12 Leaman St. Expert beauty work, permanents. Haircuts, 25c.

11 Professional Services
TO APPRECIATE good kodak pictures have them finished by Daisy Clemens, Steele Bldg.

12 Roofing, Plumbing
PIPES—Valves and fittings for all purposes. BOCKLET'S line of plumbing and heating supplies are the best. The Bocklet-King Co., 415 W. Main St.

13 Painting, Papering
J. F. HAMILTON and Son, paper hangers. Phone 205-R. Columbus Pike.

17 Commercial Hauling
MOVE WITH GILBERT. Our motor vans mean speed and saving for your transfer work. Dayton, Xenia and Wilmington Motor Line, 126 W. Main, Xenia. Phone 304.

MOVING STORAGE—General trucking. Lowest rates. Lang Transfer. Phone 728. Second and Detroit Sts.

18 Help Wanted—Male
WANTED—Man with truck to handle exclusive line of 5 cent (5c) cakes. \$200 security bond necessary. Address Frank Cowart, 1709 Main Street, Cincinnati, Ohio.

19 Help Wanted—Female
POSITIONS aboard ocean liners. Hawaii, China, Japan. Send a self-addressed envelope. B. Arculus, Mount Vernon, N. Y.

25 Poultry, Eggs, Supplies
TWO FINE Jersey Cows. Phone 323-R.

Thor O'Good
Chicks, new low prices. Highest quality, always. TOWNLEY HATCHERIES. Phone 129.

26 Horses—Cattle—Hogs
TWO FINE Jersey Cows. Phone 323-R.

28 Miscellaneous For Sale

500 BUSHEL of seed oats, F. B. Pitstick, Yellow Springs, R. No. 2. Phone 45-F-2.

CLOVER SEEDS and orchard grass. Conkey's feeds. Reasonable. Open Tuesday and Thursday evenings. Belden Milling Co., Zimmermann, O., Dayton and Xenia Pike.

SEED CORN—Early Yellow Dent, high germination. Also Manchito beans. Albert Ankeney & Son

GATES fan belts for all makes of cars. The Carroll-Binder Co., E. Main St.

CLOVER SEED Little Red, Sapling and Alsike—\$14 Purity 98—Germination 90 Seed Oats 43 and 48. Recleaned. Call now. Ear Corn, Locust Posts and Fence Baby Chick Feed at \$2.75 Bowersville, O.—Ph. 74-R-3

BIG MIAMI and Siberian seed oats and all kinds of clover seed. DeWine Feed Store, Home Ave. Phone 801.

LET FUDGE repair your furniture. We will call and deliver. 23 S. Whitman St. Phone 754. Fudge Used Furniture Store.

LARGE WHITE Miami seed oats—43c bu. C. O. Miller Elevator, Trebeins, Ohio.

FAIRBANKS-MORSE light plant and batteries for sale or trade for livestock. In good condition. J. R. Middleton, 81-P-13.

GRAYBAR Exerciser—At a big reduction in price. Eichman's, W. Main Street.

29 Musical—Radio

PIANOS, \$50 to \$125. Easy payments. John Harbline, Allen Bldg.

30 Household Goods

RCA all-electric radio, perfect condition; used Prima Washer, very cheap. Mendenhall's, W. Main St.

34 Apartments—Furnished

4-ROOM apartment. Centrally located. Hot and cold water furnished. Dr. A. C. Messenger.

35 Apartments—Unfurnished

EIGHT ROOM, also two room apartment, No. 5 and No. 5 N. Whitman. Inquire 215 W. Main.

39 Houses—Unfurnished

4-ROOM COTTAGE. Electricity, gas, cellar, cistern, hydrant, garden. \$12.50. Ph. 571-R.

40 Houses—Furnished

3-ROOM modern bungalow, furnished. Inquire at 15 E. Second Street.

43 Wanted To Rent

MODERN furnished bungalow or apartment, 3 or 4 rooms. In residential district. Mr. Hotchkiss, Kresge's Dollar Store.

46 Lots For Sale

A VERY desirable building lot on N. Galloway St. Water, gas, electricity, sewer. See Harbline, Bales and Thomas, Allen Bldg.

48 Farms For Sale

FARM FOR SALE—Eleven acres, on good pike. A. W. Tressie.

49 Business Opportunities

CHATTLE Loans. Notes bought, 2nd mortgages. J. Harbline, Allen Bldg.

DO YOU NEED MONEY?

If so, Call, Phone or Write The Central Acceptance Corporation Room 1, Allen Building Phone, Main 1234

54 Parts—Service—Repairing

New Parts and Used Parts for all makes of cars. We buy used cars for wrecking purposes. GORDON BROS. Auto Parts and Garage Open Day and Night 30 E. Second St., Xenia, O.

57 Used Cars For Sale

1927 WILLYS KNIGHT SEDAN \$275 Reconditioned and in perfect running order. LANG CHEVROLET CO. Easy G. M. A. C. Terms

59 Auction Sales

AUCTION SALE On Thursday, April 2, 1931, at 2 o'clock p. m. I will offer for sale for cash at public auction, at my home place on Union Road and Wilmington Pike, south of Xenia, in Greene County, Ohio, the following property: On belt power baler made by Ohio Cultivator Co., makes bales 16 by 35 inches. One Fordson Tractor.

JOHN T. HARBLINE, JR. Allen Building, Xenia, Ohio.

GLEE CLUB ON TOUR

DELAWARE, O., March 28—Members of the Ohio Wesleyan University Glee Club left today on a tour in which they will cover 1100 miles in the next nine days giving concerts in Ohio, Pennsylvania, Delaware, West Virginia and Maryland.

DID YOU KNOW? - Illustrated Question Box

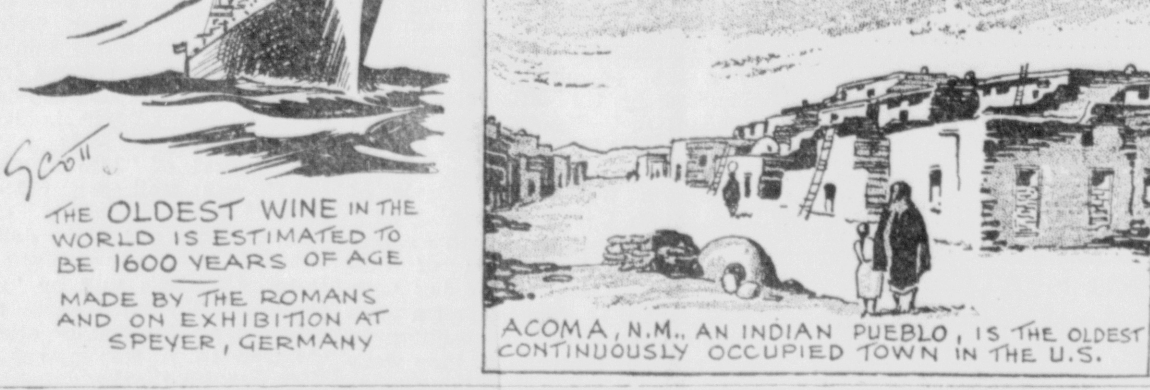
By R. J. SCOTT

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GERMANY CONSTRUCTED A CRUISER AT KIEL WITHOUT RIVETS—IT WAS ELECTRICALLY WELDED

THE ECHIDNA IS A MAMMAL, WHICH LAYS EGGS AND HISSES LIKE A SNAKE—IT IS FOUND IN TASMANIA, AUSTRALIA AND NEW GUINEA



THE OLDEST WINE IN THE WORLD IS ESTIMATED TO BE 1600 YEARS OF AGE

MADE BY THE ROMANS AND ON EXHIBITION AT SPEYER, GERMANY

ACOMA, N.M., AN INDIAN PUEBLO, IS THE OLDEST CONTINUOUSLY OCCUPIED TOWN IN THE U.S.

MAD LAUGHTER

A THRILLING MYSTERY STORY + by MILES BURTON

The sight of three men in uniform waiting outside was something of a shock to the fisherman, but a few reassuring words from Pollard soon put him at his ease. They moved off to the boat, and very soon Dick had cast off the moorings and hoisted sail. A faint air was blowing up the river, and with the aid of this and the favorable tide they began to drift upstream.

"I got on to the Superintendent," reported Pollard. "He'll have half a dozen chaps hidden on short in less than half an hour. They won't move until they hear my whistle. It all depends on those two fellows with the dinghy not spotting them. If they take it into their heads to walk up the lane and find the cars, they may give the alarm before we're ready."

"They aren't likely to do that," replied Dick. "If they're orders to stop where they are, they won't disobey them. Now, we're a party of amateur fishermen, gentlemen, and we're here to have a drink or two at the pub before we started. It's no good trying to come upon them unawares, they're bound to see us coming. Come on, give us a song, somebody."

The driver, it appeared, had an extensive repertoire, and very soon the silence of the river was disturbed by his stentorian strains, in which the rest joined rancorously. At last Dick, who was at the helm, uttered an exclamation and pointed straight ahead. "There she is, about half a mile ahead!" he said. "Sing, boys!"

They obeyed him, and the lugger drifted on. There was barely enough breeze to give her steerage way, but Dick edged her gently towards the dim form of the motorboat. The minutes crept by, the eyes of the four men fixed upon the hull ahead of them. At last they could make out the form of a man standing forward on the look-out.

"Here you are," whispered Dick. "Don't stop singing, whatever you do, but catch hold of these baying pigs. You'll find them better than tracheas in a scrap. Now then, stand by!"

They were not more than a hundred yards away now, drifting steadily down upon the bow of the motorboat. Dick sheered off a bit, as though to pass her, anxious not to alarm the look-out until the last moment. He glanced at his watch. It was just an hour since they had left Bawdsey.

The lugger drifted on, till only fifty yards separated the boats. Twenty, ten! They would clear easily. There was no light in the cabin of the motorboat, no sign of life on board her except for the look-out forward. Then suddenly Dick put his helm down, and the lugger sheered in, aiming to strike the motorboat amidships.

"Aho, there, where are you coming to?" roared the look-out, "On deck, you chaps!"

He picked up a boat-hook, and made a frantic effort to fend the lugger off. Before he could do anything, she had bumped into the side of the motorboat. The singing ceased abruptly, and a long shrill blast from Pollard's whistle echoed from bank to bank of the river. At the same moment the cabin burst into a blaze of light, by which could be seen the forms of men struggling through the companionway.

The four men in the lugger leaped on the deck of the motorboat to meet them. Dick heard Pollard's voice calling upon them to surrender, and then found himself engaged in a life and death struggle with the look-out. He struck wildly at him with his baying pin, and the man dropped his weapon with a howl of agony. His arm appeared to be broken, and Dick, seeing him fall, ran aft to help the others.

He found them desperately engaged in the cockpit. Curtis was bleeding from a wound in the head, but all three were on their feet, opposing a group of men who were trying to drive them overboard. There had been at least a dozen men in the cabin, but they were hampered by the fact that only one at a time could come out through the hatch. Dick took his place beside Pollard, and as he did so narrowly avoided a blow directed at his head with a piece of lead pipe. He closed with his assailant, and felt a keen thrill of delight as he recognized the distorted face of the man he knew as Ted.

For an eternity, as it seemed, they swayed backwards and forwards. But Dick was a more powerful man than his adversary, and after a while he wrenched himself clear and Ted staggered back. There was no room to use the baying pin, and Dick shot out with his fist and caught the man under the jaw. He fell limply into the cockpit, and Dick drew back to get a moment's breathing space. And as he did so, he heard the sound of oars, rowing furiously.

This would settle it, he thought. This should be the police from shore, come out in the dinghy to reinforce them. But if they had miscalculated their time! If this should be Ben and his companion, preparing to take the attackers in the rear! He struck at a man who had sprung up in Ted's place, but the man dodged, and he felt a numbing blow on his shoulder. He swayed, trying desperately to save himself from falling. As he did so he heard the grating of the dinghy against the ship's side, and a bulky form in blue thrust him aside and drove at his assailant with his trachea.

A shout from Pollard told him that his scheme had succeeded.

The arrival of reinforcements decided the struggle in favor of the police. The defenders of the motorboat were overcome one by one, and securely handcuffed. There were seven of them in all and most of them bore signs of the recent encounter. Among them Dick recognized Ted and Arthur. Ben and his companion had been overpowered on shore, he learned, and were under a guard which had been left behind for that purpose.

"Well, Inspector," remarked the Superintendent, mopping his head. "You've certainly provided a very decent little scrap. That's ten of them, including the body you asked me to pick up. This is your show. What would you like me to do next?"

"Take these chaps ashore, if you don't mind, sir, and get them safely into the cells," replied Pollard. "You might take my two men with you, they look as if they could do with a bit of patching up. What about you, Mr. Pen-

Perrine Orchestra Will Broadcast On NBC Chain

By MILDRED MASON
CLIFF PERRINE and his orchestra, Dayton, of which Forest G. Hurley, this city, is a member, have been signed by the National Broadcasting Co. to broadcast over the NBC network. Date of the orchestra's first broadcast has not been announced. The orchestra left this week for Galveston, Texas, to fill a six weeks' engagement at the Ambassador Hotel there. Arrangements were made to enable the orchestra to broadcast from any city in which it might be playing.

Three members of the band, including Hurley, are members of the local Phi Delta Kappa fraternity and other members are pledges of Ohio Beta Beta chapter. The band has played at many dances in this city and has proven popular with Xenians. Date of the first broadcast will be announced in this column later.

On the Air From Cincinnati
SATURDAY, MARCH 28

WLW:
5:00 p. m.—Seckatary Hawkins.
5:30—Doctors of Melody.
5:45—Blue Valley program.
6:00—Crosley Theatre of the Air.
6:30—Brooks and Ross.
6:45—Lowell Thomas.
7:00—Amos 'n' Andy.
7:30—Crosley Saturday Knights.
8:30—Orchestra and soloists.
9:00—Horton Orchestra.
9:15—Variety.
9:30—Musical Doctors.
10:00—Seger Ellis.
10:15—Netherlands Plaza Orchestra.
10:30—Clara Lee and Em.
10:45—Bob Newhall, sports slices.
11:02—Band.
12:00 Mid.—Netherlands Plaza Orchestra.
12:30 a. m.—The Doodlers.
1:00—Castle Farm Orchestra.
1:30-2:00—Netherlands Plaza Orchestra.
WKRC:
5:00 p. m.—Belasco Orchestra.
5:45—Studio.
6:00—Orpheum organ recital.
6:20—Sport review, Paul Messham.
6:30—Real estate talk, Philip E. Lawwill, real estate editor, Cincinnati Enquirer.
6:45—Studio.
7:00—Round Towners.
8:00—Mansions Orchestra.
8:30—Studio.
8:45—Forty-five Musical Minutes from Broadway.
9:30—National Radio forum.
10:00—Hank Simmons Show Boat.
11:03—Sports review, Paul Messham.
11:08—Jack Denny Orchestra.
11:15—Cremo program.
11:30—Lombardi Orchestra.
12:00 Mid.—Blackberry Dudes.
12:15—Eddie Schaefer.
WCKY:
6:45 p. m.—Studio.
7:00—Amos 'n' Andy.
7:30—Medley Five.
8:00—Ragamuffins.
8:15—Rin Tin Tin Thrillers.
8:30—Amateur Night on the air.
9:00-9:30—Lookout House Orchestra.
WSAI:
6:45-7:00 p. m.—Uncle Abe and David.
7:30—Netherlands Plaza Orchestra.
7:45—Weber and Fields.
8:15—Varieties.
8:30—Silver Flute.
9:00—General Electric program.
10:00-11:00—Lucky Strike Dance Orchestra.

Byrd Technician To Talk
Lieut. Malcolm Hanson, chief technician with the Byrd expedition, will tell about his adventures with Commander Byrd at the South Pole when he speaks to the Ohio School of the Air through WLW, Cincinnati, Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Arthur Gulterman, poet, will discuss "Poetry for Everybody" at 2 p. m. and at 2:40 Walter O. Woods, treasurer of the U. S. treasury, will continue his talks on the federal government by outlining its financial structure.

Start New Program
A new program, known as the Gold Medal Express, will have its premiere over the NBC network Monday evening at 8:30 o'clock, coming through WLW, Cincinnati. Ohman and Arden, two-piano duo; the Wheaties Boys, a male trio and other features will be heard in this series of programs.

Real Folks Party
You are invited to an old-fashioned "sugaring" party—that is you will enjoy one if you tune in on the Real Folks Hour over the NBC network through WLW, Cincinnati, Monday evening at 9:30 o'clock. Favorite old-time jigs and reels will be presented during the "sugaring" party.

On the Air From Cincinnati
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WLW:
5:00 p. m.—Vox Humana.
5:30—Brooks.
6:00—Conservatory of Music Concert.
6:30—Netherlands Plaza Orch.
7:00—Seger Ellis.
7:15—Variety.
7:30—Crosley Concert Hour.
8:00—Enna Jettick Melodies.
8:15—Colliers Hour.
9:15—Jolly Time Pop Corn Revue.
9:30—Casa Grande Orchestra.
10:00—Castle Farm Orchestra.
10:15—Glenn Sisters.
10:30—Kellogg Slumber Music.
11:00—RKO Albee Act.
11:15—Heel Hugger Program.
11:30—Castle Farm Orchestra.
12:00 Mid.—Crosley Revue.

SUNDAY
5:00 p. m.—Maltine Story.
5:30—Old Man Sunshine.
5:45—Organ and Jane and Jo.
6:00—Bradley Kincaid.
6:15—Mormon Tabernacle Choir.
6:30—Thermoid Program.
6:45—Lowell Thomas.
7:00—Amos 'n' Andy.
7:15—Sunset Melodies.
7:30—Variety.
7:45—Bob Newhall, Sports Slices.
8:00—Vision-Airs.
8:30—Gold Medal Express.
9:00—Maytag Orchestra.
9:30—Real Folks.
10:00—Footlight Frolic.
10:30—Empire Builders.
11:03—Willys Musical Memories.
12:00 Mid.—Farm Orchestra.
12:30 a. m.—Netherlands Plaza Orchestra.
1:00—Hotel Gibson Orchestra.
1:30—Brooks and Ross.

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STATE OF OHIO
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY
BUREAU OF INSPECTION AND SUPERVISION OF PUBLIC OFFICES
Financial Report of the Board of Education
For Fiscal Year Ending December 31st, 1930
Spring Valley Twp. Rural School District, Greene County, Ohio

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The Theater

Palm Sunday inaugurates Passion Week, but the movies must go on, pictures already booked must be taken in turn and thus those who don't observe Holy Week will find plenty of entertainment at Xenia theaters and those who do, will miss several good pictures.

Picture these stars: Gloria Swanson, Bert Wheeler, Robert Woolsey, Ruth Chatterton, William Haines, Constance Bennett, Eric Von Stroheim, Grant Withers and Sue Carroll. That's the galaxy that will be screened here during the week, and you may shut your eyes and take your pick.

The Swanson vehicle is "What a Widow," her latest, if memory does not fail, and it provides at least a different opus for this versatile star who began as a bathing beauty and reached the highest rank of stardom. The picture is at the Orphum Theater Sunday, Monday and Tuesday and is the first of a series of United Artists films booked by Manager H. L. Hinder. These films have not been available here recently.

Gloria is supported by some of the old favorites and some of the newcomers. The cast includes Owen Moore, Lew Cody, Margaret Livingston, William Holden, Herbert Braggiotti, Gregory Gaye, Adrienne D'Ambricourt, Nella Walker and Daphne Pollard, Allan Dwan directed.

In the meantime Grant Withers and Sue Carroll garnish the Orphum screen Wednesday and Thursday with a snappy Warner number named "Dancing Sweeties." Its going to be a lot of fun. Edna Murphy, Eddie Phillips, Tully Marshall, Kate Price and Adamee Vaughn are also in the cast.

Constance Bennett comes back to the Orphum Friday and Saturday in another Warner film, "Three Faces East," a drama highly recommended by the critics. Eric Von Stroheim, Anthony Bushell, William Courtenay, Crawford Kent, Charlotte Walker and William Holden are in the cast. Constance did well here in "Sin Takes a Holiday" during the past week.

The Bijou concludes the week with William Haines in "Remote Control," a Metro comedy of the first water. The picture features Polly Moran, in horn-rimmed specs, Charles King, Mary Doran, John Miljan, J. C. Nugent, Edward Nugent, Wilbur Mack, James Donnan, Edward Brophy, Warner P. Richmond and Russell Hopton.

Twenty Years '11- Ago -'31

Few persons realized that the population of Woodland Cemetery is almost as great as that of the city of Xenia, yet such is the case. The number of persons buried there totals 7,112.

The tall end of a blizzard struck Xenia, the mercury dropping thirty degrees in three hours.

Mrs. Marcus Shoup, who has been ill is greatly improved.



GLORIA SWANSON

In the meantime those two delightful and entertaining nuts, Wheeler and Woolsey, will be making merry at the Bijou in great style in "Hook, Line and Sinker." Pull-dressed and high-batted, they romp through a story that offers them plenty of opportunity for wise-cracking and straight comedy, which is their particular forte. The music, this time, is out. Assisting these boys will be Dorothy Lee, Jobyna Howland, Ralf Harolde, Bill Davidson, Natalie Moorhead, Hugh Herbert and Stanley Fields. The picture shows Sunday and Monday.

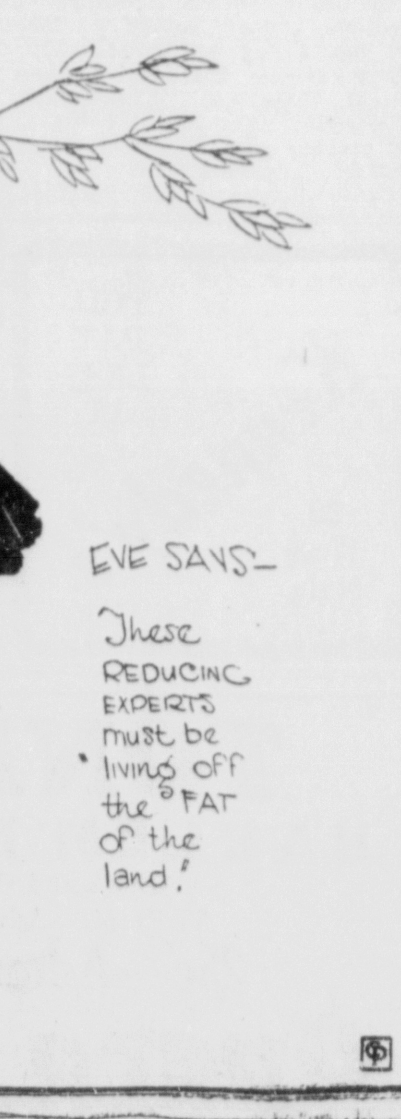
Tuesday's offering at the Bijou will be "The Silent Enemy," the Paramount film of Indian days done with an all-Indian cast. This film has been praised highly by the censoring committee of the Daughters of the American Revolution. It was booked here several weeks ago, and later cancelled.

Ruth Chatterton comes to the Bijou again Wednesday and Thursday in one of her best screen stories, "The Right to Love" by Susan Glaspell. The famed star plays a triple role in the picture, her characterizations spanning two generations and requiring marked ability in making up and acting. She is ably supported by Paul Lukas, David Manners, George Baxter, Irving Pichel, Veda Buckland, who returned to the screen for this part after twelve years' retirement.

EIGHT CHICKENS STOLEN

Theft of eight chickens was reported to police Saturday by Miss Sarah Jameson, 918 E. Third St., who said thieves raided her poultry house sometime after 11 o'clock Friday night. An investigation was made.

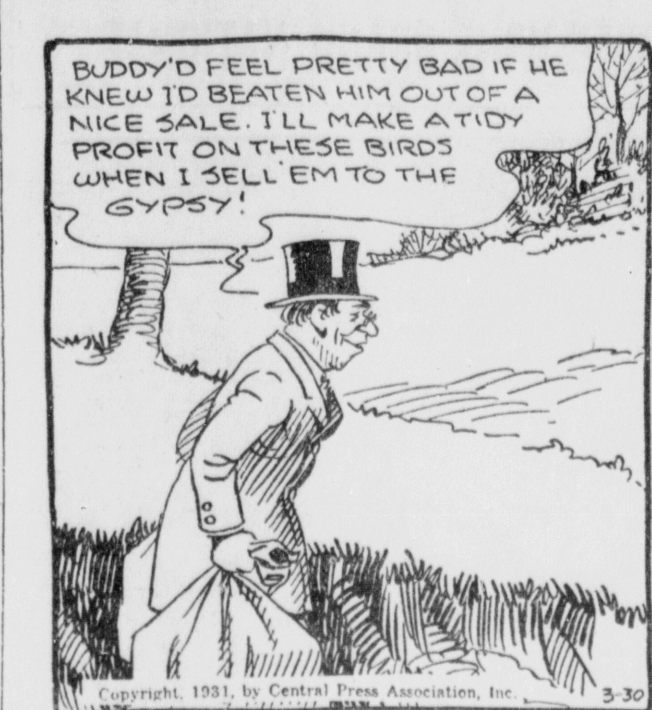
JUST AMONG US GIRLS



EVE SAYS—

These REDUCING EXPERTS must be living off the FAT of the land.

BIG SISTER—Still a Chance



BUDDY'D FEEL PRETTY BAD IF HE KNEW TO BEATEN HIM OUT OF A NICE SALE. I'LL MAKE A TIDY PROFIT ON THESE BIRDS WHEN I SELL 'EM TO THE GYPSY!



HIS CAMP OUGHT TO BE ALONG HERE SOMEWHERE. HE SAID IT WAS DOWN HERE BY THE RIVER.



HERE'S WHERE IT WAS! HE'S LEFT!!! BUT HE'S NOT BEEN GONE LONG; HIS FIRE IS STILL SMOULDERING!

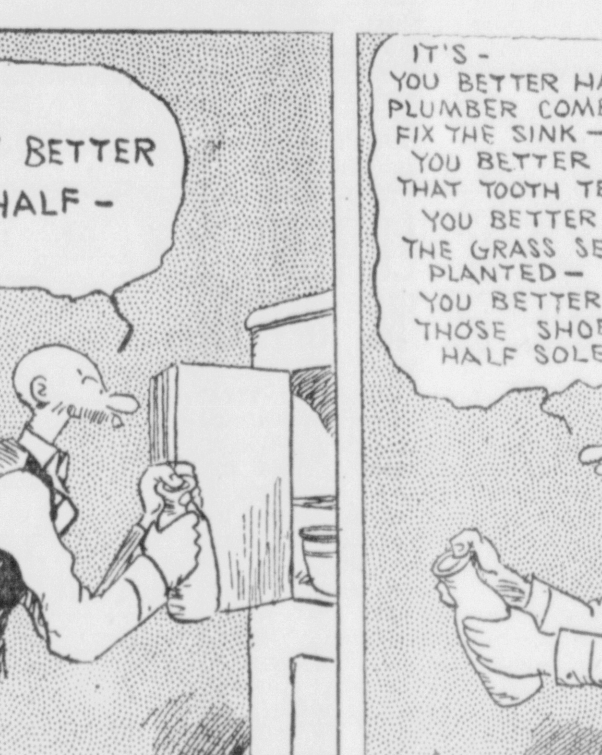


HELLO! THERE HE GOES NOW! I CAN CATCH HIM YET—IF I RUN.

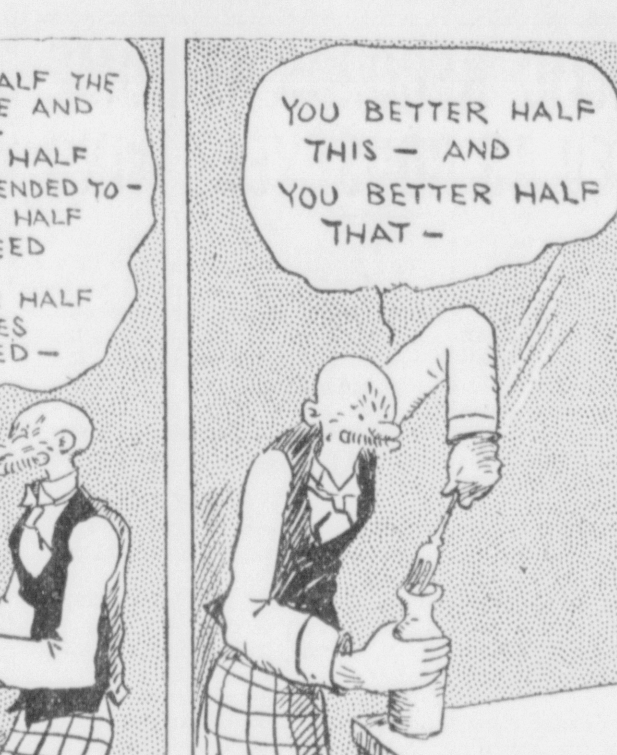
THE GUMPS—His Better Half



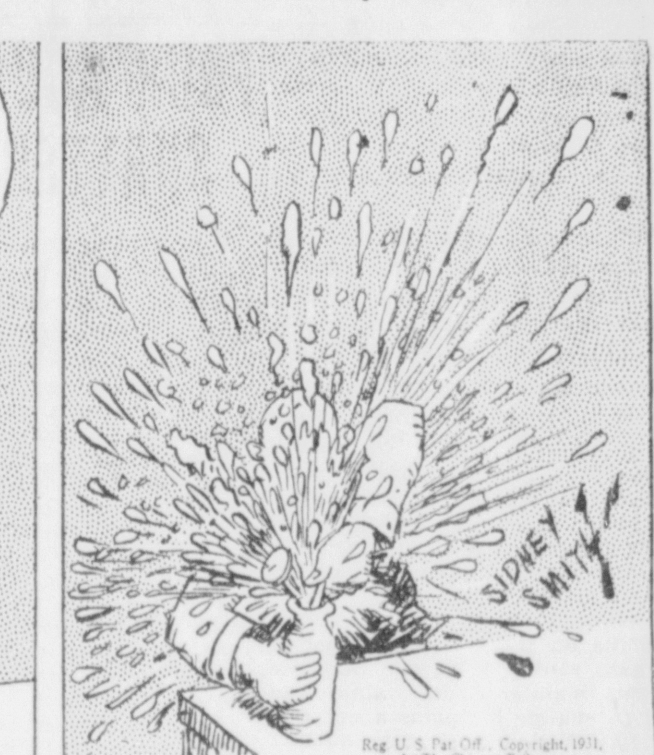
ANDY—YOU BETTER HAVE THAT SIDE WALK FIXED—BEFORE SOMEONE FALLS AND HURTS HIMSELF—



MY BETTER HALF—



IT'S—YOU BETTER HALF THE PLUMBER COME AND FIX THE SINK—YOU BETTER HALF THAT TOOTH TENDED TO—YOU BETTER HALF THE GRASS SEED PLANTED—YOU BETTER HALF THOSE SHOES HALF SOLED—



YOU BETTER HALF THIS—AND YOU BETTER HALF THAT—

ETTA KETT—The Secret's Out!



HELLO MR. WAKINS—WHERE'S BENNE?



HE'S OUT DELIVERING SOME ICE CREAM ANYTHING I CAN DO—ETTA?



NOTHING IMPORTANT—I CAN'T DROPPED IN FOR A SODA—TILL BEN'LL BE BACK.



HM—MM—I NOTICE YOU NEVER LET ME FIX YOUR SHOES!

MUGGS MCGINNIS—Every Man for Himself!!



HEY, MISTER!! WAIT UP A SECOND!!



WHAT CAN I DO FOR YOU MY LITTLE MAN?



I WAS WONDERIN' IF YOU'D MIND RINGIN' THAT DOOR BELL FOR ME?—I CAN'T QUITE REACH IT!



NOT AT ALL—I'D BE GLAD TO HELP YOU OUT!!

HIGH PRESSURE PETE—Business Before Manners



FLORIDA AT LAST NOW, WHEN WE GET TO THE HOTEL, HANK, ACT AS IF YOU HAD SOME MANNERS—LET 'EM THINK WE ARE SOMEBODY



WHAT'RE YOUR RATES HERE, SON?



ROOM WITH BATH \$12.00



THE HECK WITH THE BATH! WE CAME DOWN HERE TO BATHE IN THE OCEAN!!

"CAP" STUBBS—Diplomatic Relations Have Been Resumed



OH, WELL—I GUESS I'LL GO FINISH MAKIN' TH' HYDROPLANE MYSELF



—IF RED WANTS TO STAY SORE—LET HIM



HUMPH!—HE NEEDN'T THINK HE KIN TAKE OUR PLANE AN' BE TH' HERO IN NO WAR MOVIN' PICTURE OF ALICE LILLIE BELL'S



BUT 'COURSE SINCE HER FATHER AIN'T GONNA GIT HER NO MOVIN' PITCHER CAMERA, THERE AINT GONNA BE NO PICTURE

By EDWINA

'LO CAP!! —OH!— WHY HELLO RED!! WELL, GEE! WE OUGHTA GET THIS PLANE DONE IN A WEEK— SURE

SPORT SNAP SHOTS FRAMED by Phil

"Uncle Steve" Phillips, venerable Lebanon, O., horseman, celebrated his 89th birthday Friday and was besieged with telegrams and other messages of congratulation from all parts of the country.

"Uncle Steve," who is 89 years "young"—not "old," is said to be recovering nicely from an operation and providing his health continues to improve, is counting upon enjoying another campaign in the bike.

Still somewhat weak, he has sent his four-year-old trotter, Frederick McKinney, 2:11 1/4, to William "Doc" McMillan, popular London, O. reinsman, to be conditioned for his coming stake engagements, but he is figuring upon being in the sulky himself when the season opens.

Last fall "Uncle Steve" drove his trotter in the three-year-old event at the Hamilton fair, winning with him in straight heats and giving him a mark of 2:11 1/4.

While on the general subject of harness racing, it is said that Joe Hagler, popular Xenia trainer, has had to change his plans about racing Ray Henley, 2:08 pacer, against the bears of the Bay State Circuit meets.

It seems that his father, H. M. Hagler, who owns this sensational wiggler, has informed Joe that he wants him raced at the Ohio meetings this summer in order that he can sit in the stands and watch him perform without going so far from home to experience this pleasure. Therefore, Joe, bowing to the wishes of his father, has agreed to do most of his campaigning this year within the confines of the Buckeye State.

Adoption of the barrier system by members of the Southwestern Ohio Fair Circuit at forthcoming meets this year is reported to have been recommended by the circuit committee which recently met at Troy to consider the plan. This system, advocated by Steve Phillips, nationally known Xenia starting judge, at the recent annual meeting of circuit officials in this city, may therefore be introduced locally for the first time at the Greene County Fair's shortship circuit meet in August, as well as at the twelve other county fairs embraced by the circuit.

The Xenia starter, incidentally, has perfected a barrier device of his own, with which he has been experimenting at the Xenia fairgrounds and which he is convinced should answer the purpose and may revolutionize the harness horse sport in this country.

Drawn taught across the track, the wire, when released, springs straight across in front of the bugles and—zip—they're off—thus eliminating a great amount of time, some scoring and other irritating delays which have been one of the drawbacks of the harness game as compared with running races.

Thanks to Steve's influence, the barrier system will be given trials almost everywhere in Ohio this season and the local starter will have carved a permanent niche for himself in this country providing the plan becomes a permanent fixture.

Leroy Wones, who at one time conducted a sport column in the Gazette, has accepted an offer to become sports editor of the Scioto Gazette at Chillicothe and will assume his new editorial duties Monday.

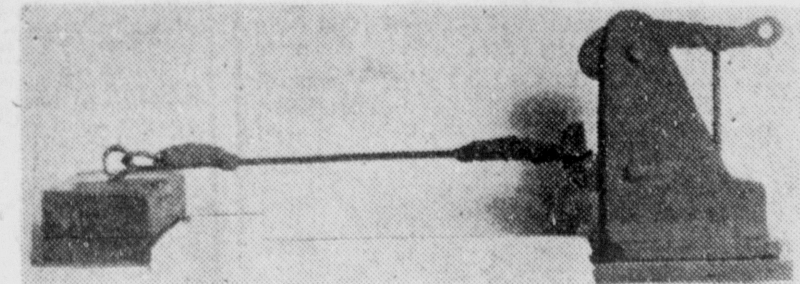
Roy formerly wrote a column for this paper called "Sports Broad-casts from Station WONES," and is as thoroughly familiar with all varieties of sports as the average person is—or should be—with his A. B. C's.

Bowling

The Krippendorf-Dittman Shoe Co. bowling team, leader of the city league, boosted its advantage to seven and one-half games by making a clean sweep of the three-game series with the second-place American Legion, while the Carroll-Binder Co. took three straight games from the Central Acceptance Corp. in a league double-header Friday night. Box scores:

Birk	162	161	143
Manor	153	211	196
Flynn	123	126	154
Christie	149	181	160
Dudley	170	156	150
Totals	757	835	803
American Legion	156	156	156
R. Smith	117	131	155
P. Fuller	151	154	173
Dummy	115	115	115
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Totals	654	671	714
Carroll-Binder	145	159	182
Neville	137	147	115
Peters	183	148	146
Price	178	148	143
Gegner	187	166	165
Totals	830	768	753
Central Acceptance	155	161	135
Crawford	121	121	154
Howell	121	121	154
Dummy	115	115	115
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Totals	557	573	628
Kaffory	199	158	185
Totals	750	714	743

STEVE PERFECTS STARTING BARRIER



Here, in miniature, is the barrier device perfected by Steve Phillips, widely known Xenia starting judge, who plans to install it at various tracks where the system will be given a trial at Ohio shortship circuit meets this year.

Of course, since the barrier is stretched entirely across the track, the line is much longer than is shown in the above picture, but you can readily perceive how the contrivance will operate.

The trotters or pacers, as the case may be, will line up back of the taut wire and when the starter releases the "trigger" the line shoots directly across the track in front of the wiggler.

Steve has been experimenting with his device at the Xenia fairgrounds and believes his barrier will come into widespread use.

FOUR AQUATIC RECORDS AT HOME SHATTERED AS ROOSEVELT WINS

Four existing pool records at the O. S. and S. O. Home were shattered in a scholastic swimming meet at the local institution Friday afternoon in which the crack Dayton Roosevelt team took the measure of the cadet swimmers by a margin of 35 to 20.

The winner of the meet, however, was not decided until the last two events on the program, the 100 yd. free style and the 100 yd. backstroke, McKinley took the first place in the cadet pool in the final two of the six events.

The Roosevelt team established three new pool records in the 100 yd. relay race, won by a hand's length, the 220 yd. free style and the medley relay.

Jones, member of the cadet team, set a new competitive record for the Home and for the pool in the 100 yd. free style and in the 100 yd. backstroke, McKinley took the other first place for the cadets by winning the forty-yard free style race. Other point winners for the Home were Rhodes in diving—second to Graham, former state champion—L. Tyrell in the forty-yard event and Trumphour in the 100 yd. free style and in the 100 yd. backstroke.

220 yd. free style McKinley, Home, 1st; Baker, Roosevelt, 2nd; Cook, Roosevelt, 3rd. Time 63.2 seconds.

40 yd. free style McKinley, Home, 1st; Baker, Roosevelt, 2nd; Tyrell, Home, 3rd. Time 23.7 seconds.

100 yd. backstroke Jones, Home, 1st; Hizer, Roosevelt, 2nd; Shaw, Roosevelt, 3rd. Time 1:20.5 Old record 1:24.

220 yd. free style Crane, Roosevelt, 1st; Stanislo, Roosevelt, 2nd; Trumphour, Home, 3rd. Time 3:07.6. Old record by Wilkin of McKinley 3:11.

120 yd. medley relay won by Roosevelt (Hizer, Rigler, Tobin). Time 1:23.9. Old record 1:30 by McKinley.

BECOMES SCRIBE



Leroy Wones, Xenia, who formerly wrote signed sport stories for the Gazette, will become sports editor of the Scioto Gazette at Chillicothe Monday, it is learned.

LEGION RIFLE CLUB WILL COMPETE HERE WITH HOME CADETS

The American Legion Junior Rifle Club of Lima, O., will send a small team of sharpshooters to Xenia April 11 for a match with the R. O. T. C. team of the Ohio Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home here, Lt. Perry Swindler, Home military instructor and coach of the cadet team, announces.

Invasion by the Lima youths will mark their first trip to Xenia, and the match was arranged after several months planning on the part of the Northwestern Ohio Club.

At least two automobile loads of young marksmen and possibly three will visit the institution here.

Plans call for the firing of the match on the afternoon of Saturday, April 11. The Lima squad expects to arrive at the Home in time for lunch, and following a tour of the institution, will go to the R. O. T. C. gallery for the match.

Visiting marksmen will be matched with an equal number of cadets and five high scores will be counted for each team. All firing will be done with iron sights on fifty-foot decimal targets.

LETTERS AWARDED CENTRAL HIGH TEAM

Letters and miniature gold basketballs, emblematic of the 1931 championship of the Miami Valley League, were presented five Xenia Central High School basketball players at the annual "Buccaneer Hop" at the school Friday night, the awards being distributed by Coach Walter C. "Pinky" Wilson during a dance intermission.

The five players rewarded for their athletic ability were Birch Bell and Freddie Dalton, forwards; Harold Glass, center, and Lester Price and Howard Thompson, guards. Coach Wilson congratulated the letter men, praised their ability and expressed regret that other senior members of the first string squad could not also be given letters.

Presentation of the letters at the dance established a new precedent. Heretofore the awards had been passed out at a special assembly of the student body.

FOODY LEGION POST WILL SPONSOR BALL TEAM THIS SUMMER

Pursuant to a custom inaugurated last year, Foody Post, American Legion, will again sponsor a Junior Legion baseball team in Xenia this summer.

All Xenia boys under seventeen years of age, who desire to try out for berths on the nine, are invited to attend an organization meeting at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon in post hall in the basement of the Court House.

Unless present plans go awry, the junior team, weather permitting, will begin practice next week on the Washington Park diamond and will be coached by a Legionnaire.

American Legion posts throughout the entire country annually sponsor junior baseball teams and county, district, state and national tournaments are held to determine the national champion. Members of the winning team are rewarded with a trip to see the world's series between the pennant winners of the two major leagues.

LOUGHRAN DEFEATS TOMMY GRIFFITH

CHICAGO, March 28.—Because he defeated Tuffy Griffith in a neat and efficient manner last night at the stadium, Tommy Loughran of Philadelphia, retired light heavyweight champion, today was in line for the promised bout with Jack Sharkey this summer.

Using a protective left jab that tantalized Griffith to the point of distraction, Loughran stopped the ambitious Chicagoan's boaring-in attack throughout the ten rounds with the dispatch of a master boxer. Loughran won by the judges' decision.

Griffith's defeat definitely eliminated him from the ranks of serious contenders for the heavyweight crown and put a hitch in the adage that "they never come back"—in Loughran's case.

REPORTS DECREASE IN ACCIDENTS HERE

Nineteen industrial accidents, none of which resulted fatally or caused permanent partial disability, were reported for Greene County in February, a decrease of twenty-one from the number of mishaps credited to this county during the preceding month, according to figures released by the state industrial commission, division of safety and hygiene.

Of this number, nine accidents caused not more than seven days loss of time, one resulted in a time loss of seven days or less and nine caused no loss of time but necessitated medical attention.

In January, this county had forty-one accidents, two of which were fatal, and 12,880 days time loss.

ORATORY FINALS

COLUMBUS, O., March 28.—Finals for the Ohio Synod in the National Presbyterian Stewardship oratorical contest were to be held here late this afternoon with Miss Clara Mae Martin of Georgetown in the Portsmouth Presbytery, John Sears of Freeport in the St. Clairsville Presbytery, Miss Erma Rees of Alliance in the Mahoning Presbytery, and Miss Dorothy L. Jones of Columbus in the Columbus Presbytery as the contestants.

DEPUTY KILLS YOUTH, SELF

PLAIN CITY, O., March 28.—After slaying George Allan Leggett, 19, former Marysville High School football player, during what authorities said was a drinking party, Thomas Beach, a deputy sheriff of Union County, shot and killed himself at his home here today.

Authorities expressed the belief that the double tragedy was the outcome of a tiff between Leggett and the deputy sheriff.

Leggett was shot and killed, authorities said, at the home of Mrs. Nell Butler, where Beach and several other men were gathered. Witnesses to the shooting told Sheriff William Rauch that Beach drew a weapon and fired point-blank at the youth. The shot pierced Leggett's abdomen.

Beach shortly afterward returned to his own home where Sheriff Rauch, who had been informed of the affair, sought him in an effort to learn the details of the shooting. The sheriff said he found Beach in bed. As he entered the room, he said, Beach reached for a revolver and, before he could be stopped, shot himself through the head.

FIVE CHILDREN DIE FROM COLD

LAMAR, Colo., March 28.—Five school children were frozen to death and eighteen other children severely frost bitten, it was revealed today when a rescue party discovered a school bus stuck in a snowdrift south of Towner, near the Colorado-Kansas line.

The bus had been stuck in the snow since Thursday.

A posse organized at Tribune, Kan., today was searching for Carl Miller, driver of the bus. He supposedly abandoned the vehicle to seek assistance.

All of the children were from Towner. The dead are John Stonebraker, Alice Unid, Mary Hufaker, Alfred Johnson and Mary Miller, all between 10 and 14 years old. The bodies were taken to Holly, Colo.

The other children, expected to recover, were taken here and to Eads, Colo., for treatment.

Meantime, highways throughout southeastern Colorado remained virtually impassable as a result of the blizzard that has raged since early Wednesday.

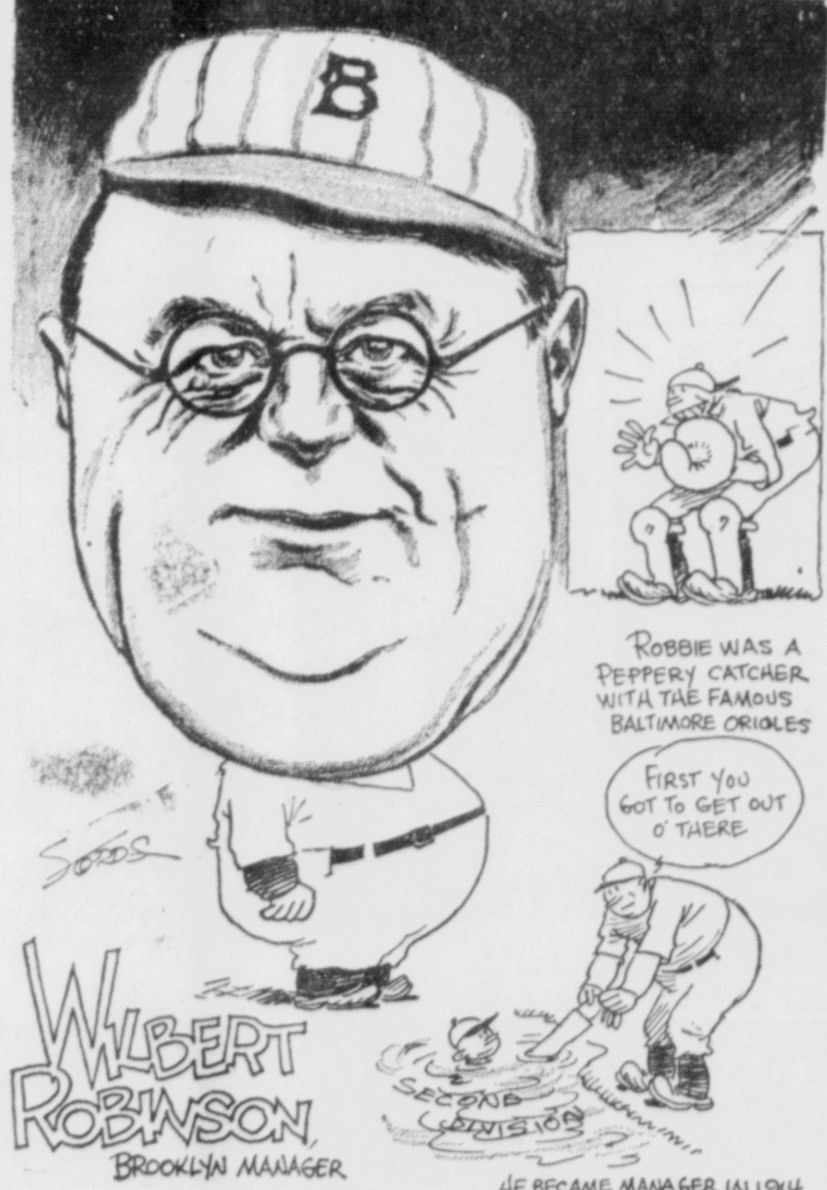
NEIL HOUSE SOLD TO CLEVELAND MAN

COLUMBUS, O., March 28.—At a price of \$1,000,000 Julian W. Tyler of Cleveland, secretary of the Neil House Bondholders' Protective Committee, today bought the lease hold on the Neil House, well-known Columbus hotel.

The bondholders protective committee, of which Tyler is secretary, owns 89 per cent of the hotel's first mortgage bond. The property valuation of the Neil House is \$1,500,000.

An organization has been completed for the operation of the hotel, Tyler said, as soon as the sale this morning is confirmed. Possession will be taken about April 1. It was expected.

MEET THE MANAGER BY JACK SORDS



Wilbert Robinson, ponderous potentate of the Brooklyn Dodgers (sometimes and with reason referred to as the Brooklyn Buffoons) has his eye on that old National League pennant this year. And Uncle Wilbert isn't just blowing bubbles, either, when he talks flag this year.

Uncle Wilbert has a mighty nice looking ball club.

It's about time Uncle Wilbert cracked through to world winner. He hasn't dined on world series dough since 1920 and a 10-year depression isn't relished by the best of baseball men.

Uncle Wilbert—to become historical—came into this vale of last place clubs in Hudson, Mass., on June 2, 1867. As a sprightly youth of 18 he enrolled with the Haverhill, Mass., baseball club as a catcher and third baseman.

The next season Robinson found himself with the Philadelphia Nationals. After four years in Philly he went to the Baltimore Orioles as a catcher and succeeded John McGraw as manager in 1899.

When Baltimore was dropped from the National League in 1900, Wilbert went to St. Louis. Back in Baltimore again he retired in 1904 and remained out of baseball until 1911 when McGraw took him on as coach.

Robinson became manager of the Brooklyn Nationals in 1914 and has been pilot of the club since. Twice he has won pennants—1916 and 1920—but never a world series.

GRACKLE WINS GRAND NATIONAL



Beating out Greglach, 1929 winner, Grackle, shown above, won the Grand Steeplechase at Aintree near Liverpool, England. More than 300,000 saw the race.

STARS OF RADIOLAND



For old-time melodrama, replete with action, hair-raising thrills, asides, the villain-and all the rest of the nineteenth century stage features, Hank Simmons' Show Boat company holds first place in the radio world. And with the weekly drama is the colorful setting of the Mississippi show boat. Hank Simmons runs the show, addresses the audience between acts and usually has an outstanding role in the production as well.

GIRL SCOUTS of America



The hike planned by Troop No. 3, Girl Scouts of America, for Monday afternoon has been postponed because of the uncertainty of the weather.

MARCH LION ROARS; RAIN SWEEPS CITY

Forerunner of a cold wave expected to hit Xenia and vicinity Saturday, the 1931 March lion shook his shaggy mane and emitted a roar which took the form of a thirty-mile wind, accompanied by a driving rainstorm, that swept over the city Friday night.

Contrary to predictions of continued rain, changing to snow, Saturday, the sun broke through the overcast skies early in the day, but the weather forecasters were not to be denied and indications in the afternoon were that their predictions would bear belated fruit.

The fury of the wind did not diminish Saturday and even increased in intensity, bringing about a slow but steady drop in temperatures. The outlook is "much colder" Saturday night with the probability of snow flurries Sunday.

GOVERNOR WHITE MADE BOY SCOUT

COLUMBUS, O., March 28.—Recently made an honorary Indian chief, Governor George White today had the additional distinction of being an honorary tenderfoot in the Boy Scouts of America.

Tenderfoot investiture ceremonies were conducted for the governor and 1100 novice Scouts during the Ohio Area Scout Council's annual two-day circus. More than 3,000 Scouts attended the meeting and saw the governor presented with an emblem of his acceptance.

Climaxing the circus tonight will be the court of honor when more than 1,000 Scouts will receive awards and merit badges they have earned since Dec. 1.

REAL ESTATE

Jennie Turnbull to Allen B. Turnbull, four lots in Cedarville Twp., containing thirteen acres, \$1.00.

Esther May Furry to William Herman Furry, lot in Fairview addition to Fairfield, \$1.00.

William Herman Furry to William E. and Ethel E. Sipe, lot in Fairview addition to Fairfield, \$1.00.

Frank C. Bauer to Mary Linkhart, 1.31 acres in Beaver Creek Twp., \$1.00.

Peoples Building and Savings Co. to C. M. Anderson, lot in Xenia city, \$1.00.

William Ernest Watson and Mae B. Watson to the Dayton Mortgage and Investment Co., lot in Osborn village, \$1.00.

Carrie Croy to Sarah J. Ferrell, guardian of Martha Elizabeth Croy and Mary Jane Croy, lot in village of Alpha, \$1.00.

L. W. B. Galleher to the Delaware National Bank, Delaware, O., 232.85 acres in Ross Twp., \$1.00.

Anna Hower, Marianna Hower and Laurence D. Hower to the Wabash Portland Cement Co., 124.125 acres in Mad River Twp., Clark Co., and Bath Twp., Greene County, \$1.00.

B. L. and Minnie M. Ross to Ralph and Bernice Ross, 70.16 acres in New Jasper Twp., \$1.00.

John H. Frye to Mamie John, 1.5 acres in Xenia Twp., \$1.00.

Edward Campbell to Arthur and Bertha Davis, two tracts in Mad River Twp., Clark County and Bath Twp., Greene County, containing eight acres, 13.64 square poles, \$1.00.

Lester and Grace Reed to Helen K. Dean, 6.02 acres in Cedarville Twp., \$1.00.

David G. and Belle Newman to Lucille Bales, lot in Knollwood Estates, Beaver Creek Twp., \$1.00.

Harden and Anna Smith to Hatfield Smith, four lots in Yellow Springs village, \$1.00.

Corra B. Nicely, Robert F. and Myrtle Smith, Robert and Maud Burba, William E. and Anna Smith, Walter and Marjorie Smith to Hatfield Smith, four lots in Yellow Springs village, \$1.00.

WORK STARTED ON SCHOOL ADDITION

The W. R. Howard Construction Co., which submitted the low bid of 129,850 and was awarded the general contract for erection of an addition to the present Bath Twp. Consolidated school at Osborn, began construction work early this week when excavating was started on the site. The new structure is expected to be ready for occupancy the latter part of November.

The heating contract was awarded by the school board of the Columbus Heating and Ventilating Co. on its bid of \$16,490, while the plumbing contract was let to the Bacon and Sanders Co., which submitted a bid of \$13,630. A award of the electrical contract is being held in abeyance.

The project will be financed by a \$150,000 bond issue approved by voters at the last November election.

FORMER SOLON DIES

COLUMBUS, O., March 28.—Horace Burr, Franklin County Representative in the Ohio General Assembly from 1915 to 1922, was dead here today from the effects of influenza which he had been suffering for more than a week. He resided in Columbus and Franklin County for forty years and was 79 years of age at the time of his death.

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

CLOSING QUOTATIONS	
New York stock market quotations received from W. E. Hutton and Co., Mutual Home Bldg., Dayton, at 2:50 p. m. daily:	
American Can	124 1/2
Am. Rolling Mill	30 1/2
Amer. Smelting	45 1/2
Anacosta Copper	23 1/2
Atlantic Ref.	19 1/2
A. T. & T.	193 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	59 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	41 1/2
Col. G. and E.	43 1/2
Continental Can	59 1/2
Cont. Oil Del.	9 1/2
Gen. Foods	53 1/2
General Motors	44 1/2
Grigsby-Grunow	5 1/2
Hudson Motors	22 1/2
Kroger	20 1/2
Packard	9 1/2
Para-Publix	44 1/2
Penn. R. R.	57 1/2
Prairie Oil and Gas	14 1/2
Proctor and Gamble	68 1/2
Radio Corp.	24 1/2
Sears-Roebuck	56 1/2
Servel Inc.	12 1/2
Sinclair Oil	21 1/2
Standard of N. Y.	21 1/2
Standard of N. J.	44 1/2
Studebaker	24 1/2
United Aircraft	35 1/2
U. S. Steel	143 1/2
Warner Bros.	12 1/2
Woolworth	62 1/2
Cities Service	18 1/2

MARKETS LIVE STOCK

PITTSBURGH, March 28.—Hogs—Receipts, 800; market about steady; attractive 150-210 lbs., \$8.50@8.60; others down to \$8.25; averaging around 240 lbs., a few pigs, \$8.25; good packing sows, \$6.50@6.75.

Cattle—Receipts, 10; nominally steady.

Calves—Receipts, 85; market, unchanged; odd head better grade light and medium weight vealers, \$8.50@11.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 100; very little on sale; quoted nominally steady at \$9.00@9.25 for choice handy-weight clipped lambs.

CINCINNATI LIVESTOCK

CINCINNATI, March 28.—Hogs—Receipts, 600; holdover 100, active mostly 10c higher; weighty butchers 15@25c up; better grade 160-230 lb., \$8.30@8.40; mostly \$8.40 on 220 lb. down; some 260 lb. around 230 lb., \$7.75@8; light lights 25c higher; 130-150 lb mostly \$8; sows steady at \$6.25@6.50.

Cattle—Receipts, 100 calves 75 nominal.

Sheep, 350 nominal.

Receipts, Friday—Cattle 387, calves 53, hogs 2073, sheep 99.

Shipments Friday—Cattle 30, calves 217, hogs 1004.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, March 28.—Hogs—Receipts, 11,000; market 10c lower; top, \$8.10; bulk, \$6.50@8.10; heavy weight, \$7@7.65; medium weight, \$7.60@8.10; light weight, \$7.55@8.10; light lights, \$7.85@8.10; packing sows, \$6.45@6.85; pigs \$7.35@8; holdovers 3000.

Cattle—Receipts 200; market, steady; calves, receipts 100; market, steady; beef steers, good and choice, \$9.50@11; common and medium, \$6.50@9; yearlings, \$6.50@10.50; butcher cattle, heifers, \$5@9.50; cows, \$4.25@7; bulls, \$4@7; calves, \$7.50@11; feeder steers, \$5.50@8.50; stocker steers, \$5.50@8.50; stocker cows and heifers, \$4.50@6.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 3,000; market, steady; medium and choice lambs, \$8.50@9.10; culls and common \$6@8; yearlings, \$7@8; common and choice ewes, \$1@5; feeder lambs, \$7@8.

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Sheep—Receipts, 3,000; market, steady; medium and choice lambs, \$8.50@9.10; culls and common \$6@8; yearlings, \$7@8; common and choice ewes, \$1@5; feeder lambs, \$7@8.

XENIA LIVESTOCK

Heavies \$ 7.65
Mediums 7.95
Light Lights and Pigs 8.20
Roughs 6.00

DAYTON LIVESTOCK

HOGS

Receipts, 3 cars; mkt., steady

Heavies, 240-300 lbs. \$ 7.60
Mediums, 200-240 lbs. 8.00
Mediums, 170-200 lbs. 7.80
Lights, 130-160 lbs. 7.25
Pigs, 130 lbs. down 6.50@7.00
Sows 5.50@6.50
Stags 4.00@5.00

CATTLE

Receipts, light; mkt., around steady.

Veal calves, ext. top. \$ 9.50 down
Med. Veal Calves 7.00 down
Culls 5.00 down
Best butcher steers 7.00@7.75
Med. butcher steers 6.00@7.00
Best fat heifers 6.00@6.50
Medium heifers 5.00@6.00
Medium cows 5.00@4.25
Best fat cows 4.00@5.00
Bologna cows 2.00@3.00
Bulls 4.00@5.00

SHEEP

Sheep \$2.00@4.00
Spring lambs 8.00
Seconds 6.00@7.50

PRODUCE CHICAGO BUTTER

CHICAGO, March 28.—Butter receipts, 14,494 tubs; creamery extra, 28 1/2c; standards, 29c; extra firsts, 27 1/2c@28 1/2c; firsts, 26 1/2c@27 1/2c; packing stock, 15@16c; specials, 29 1/2c@29 3/4c.

CLEVELAND PRODUCE

CLEVELAND, March 28.—Butter extra, 28 1/2c; standards, 28 1/2c; market, firm; eggs: extra, 20 1/2c; firsts, 19 1/2c; market, steady; live poultry: heavy fowls, 23c; med. fowls, 24c; leghorn fowls, 21c; heavy broilers, 40@45c; leghorn broilers, 35c; ducks, 25c; geese, 15@16c; old cocks, 13c; mkt., steady, capons, No. 1, 28@30c; apples, per bu., Baldwin, \$1.60; cabbage: Danish type, mostly 40@50c for 50 lb. sack; potatoes: round whites, \$1.90 per 100 lb. sack.

DAYTON PRODUCE WHOLESALE EGGS

Fresh eggs, per dozen 20c
Dressed Turkeys, (wholesale), lb. 60c
Retail Prices

Dressed hens, per pound 38c
Country butter, pound 38c
Creamery butter, pound 35c
Eggs, per dozen 23c
Dressed ducks, per pound 23c
1931 Fries, pound 60c
Dressed Turkeys (retail) 65c
Live Turkeys, lb. 45c
Geese, per lb. 30c

Prices Paid at Plant

Hens 19c
Leghorn Hens 16c
Young Geese 15c
Ducks, per pound 15c
Old Roosters, lb. 13c
1931 Chickens, 2 lbs. down per lb. 35c
Turkeys, pound 30c
Eggs, dozen 16c

WHOLESALE BUTTER (By Miami Valley Co-operative Milk Producers Ass'n)

Butter, lb. 33c

XENIA PRODUCE

Live Poultry and Eggs (Corrected Daily by Greene Bros., 524 W. Second St., Xenia, O.)

Eggs, fresh 16c
Good Hens 12c
Leghorn Hens 15c
Stags 15c
Old Roosters 11c
1931 Fries, Rocks, 2 lbs. up, 35c

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